

REBELS MAKING STRONG ATTACK UPON MAZATLAN

Fail of Seaport Expected Today
—Federal Officer Ruins Guns and Decamps.

By Associated Press.
ON BOARD THE U. S. S. CALIFORNIA, MAZATLAN, June 11 (via Wireless to San Diego, June 11).—Heavy volleys were fired from the outposts of Mazatlan today. It is believed the Constitutionalists are advancing for a determined assault.

A well-directed attack, it is thought, would result in the capture of the city. The Constitutionalists captured a strategic hill north of the city Tuesday night. A new walled cemetery also fell into their possession.

The discovery was made today that the breach plugs of all the Federal gunners' guns, except one at Fort Rosales, were missing. The artillery officer in charge had decamped.

Fearing that neutral zone recently designed for non-combatants might not be respected in the attack, the entire consular corps at Mazatlan sent a note today through Rear Admiral Howard, commanding the United States Pacific fleet to Gen. Huerta, the Constitutionalists' commander, asking requesting that the zone be safeguarded.

The German Consul has sent a letter of thanks to Admiral Howard for protecting German interests.

Japanese Minister Adachi, returning to Mexico after an unsuccessful effort to reach the west coast, arrived safely, it is reported, at Guadalajara, where he was met by the secretary of the Japanese legation with a special train. The train carries three automobiles for use in case progress by rail is blocked.

Rebels Press on to Capital While Mediators Parley

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Way out of the diplomatic maze at Niagara Falls, President Wilson and Secretary Bryan kept in close touch with the proceedings over a private telegraph wire. Statements of one of the mediators that he felt confident the menacing obstacles would be surmounted were reflected in the assertion of Secretary Bryan that the deliberations were "proceeding satisfactorily."

Renewed military operations by the Constitutionalists in their campaign toward Mexico City aroused keen interest. Results of the siege of Zacatecas by Carranza's men eagerly were awaited here after receipt of late reports that the Federalists were giving way in the face of bitter rifle and artillery fire.

Gen. Funston's report that the Constitutionalists threatened to cut railroad communication between Huerta's capital and Vera Cruz led to statements by friends of Carranza that the campaign was aimed to capture Huerta and his advisers in case they suddenly determined to cut the capital.

Can Cut Both Railroads.
The Constitutionalists said their forces in Vera Cruz State were so disposed as to be able to cut the line from Mexico City to Vera Cruz and also the line connecting the capital and Puerto Mexico. They claimed that railroad communication between the capital and Pacific Coast points had been interrupted and that at the first report of any movement by Huerta, the east coast line would be severed to prevent any possible attempt by the dictator to reach a port.

It was said the movement in Vera Cruz State had been under consideration for six months and was not impelled by any recent advice. The troops are under command of Gen. Aguilar and his chief of staff is Col. Manuel Peres Romero, brother-in-law of the late President Madero. Some of the Constitutionalists troops already had clashed with Federalists who were said to have been beaten near Papantla.

Carranza Not Expected to Change.
Rafael Zubizarri, chief of the Constitutionalists army here, still awaited Carranza's note outlining his attitude toward mediation. He was prepared to forward it immediately if the note would materially change the situation because Carranza was not expected to agree to a truce, a condition which the envoys have demanded as precedent to his participation in the conference. It was believed, however, the note might reveal to what degree the Constitutionalists would be willing to participate in the proposals for the establishment of a provisional government once the basis for a protocol is prepared by the Huerta and American missions.

The Ward River Aqueduct, carrying water for the rebel faction, was expected to reach Tampico today after a slight delay in her voyage from New York. Department officials here consistently declined to reveal whether the steamer would be allowed to land the cargo, but there were strong intimations that there would be no interference.

The mystery of the fate of the 300 Federalists who fled from Tampico was cleared today by the announcement of their arrival in Mexico City.

Stop Ammunition on the Way to Tampico Rebels.
GALVESTON, Tex., June 11.—The steamer El Sur of the Southern Pacific line has arrived here from New York with a large consignment of ammunition for revolutionists at Tampico, which Carranza's agent here said he forwarded in any ship he could charter.

The Collector of Customs says he has no instructions to hold this shipment, and will not take any action on his own initiative. The shipment will go forward today or Friday, unless orders to hold it are received.

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The illustration shows W. B. No. 443 for the average figure. It has medium bust, long skirt extension and spoon-shaped steel; sizes 22 to 30. Price \$2.00
W. B. 437 is a very low-bust corset with elastic gussets and three pairs of hose supporters attached; sizes 19 to 28. Price \$2.00
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Third Floor, Ninth Street.

Hot Weather Helps

Here is a list of a few of the many articles in our store—from various departments—that will help to make these hot days more comfortable:

- Electric Irons \$1.49 to \$3.50
- Refrigerators \$11.00 to \$120.00
- Ice Cream Freezers \$1.65 to \$10.00
- Lemonade Straws, package 25c
- Ice Picks 10c to 25c
- Ice Chisels 10c to 25c
- Lemon Squeezers 10c to 25c
- Drinking Cups 6c to 25c
- Lemonade Shakers 75c
- Bath Sprays 30c to \$2.25
- Strawberry Hullers 5c
- Pineapple Evers 25c
- Electric Fans \$7.95 to \$22.50
- Cork Pullers 5c to 25c
- Electric Toasters \$2.75 to \$5.00
- Iced Tea Spoons, set \$1.00 to \$3.00
- Silver-plate Coasters 50c
- Ice Water Pitchers \$3.50 to \$6.00
- Syrphon Bottles \$4.50
- Cheese and Cracker Dishes \$5.00
- Sandwich Plates \$3.00
- Lemon Forks 85c and \$1.25
- Lemon Dishes \$2.25
- Deposit Lemonade Pitchers \$6.00 to \$9.00
- Relish Dishes \$5.00 to \$10.75
- Ice Tubs \$12 to \$15
- Ice Tongs \$5.50 and \$6
- Cheese Boards \$16.00
- Silverware Dept., First Floor.
- Pure Gum Bathing Caps in all colors, priced at 39c to \$1.25
- Fancy Silk Bathing Caps range in price from 75c to \$2.25
- Bath Salts—Violet and Verbena—bottle 25c to \$1.75
- Plain Palm Leaf Fans, 2 for 5c
- 9-inch Palm Leaf Fans with bonnet, 10c
- Palm Leaf Fans in the 12-inch size, with bound edges, 15c
- "Ningapoo" Fans are priced at 15c
- Japanese Folding Paper Fans priced at 10c to \$1.00
- Japanese Folding Silk Fans priced at 50c to \$2.25
- First Floor.
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- Iced Tea Spoons, hollow stems, amber bowls, doz. \$1
- Sherbert Glasses, the dozen, upward from \$1.00
- Punch Sets, upward from \$1.95
- Ice Tubs, upward from 25c
- Glassware Dept., Fourth Floor
- Rag Rugs \$2.75 to \$25.00
- China Matting, roll, \$1.00
- Rag Carpeting, roll, 50c and 60c
- Window Shades 30c to 70c
- Porch Shades, priced upward from \$1.00
- Awnings, priced upward from \$1.00
- Porch Pillows, priced upward from \$1.35
- Fourth Floor.
- Large Maple Porch Rockers \$1.75
- Woven Wire Cots \$1.50
- Folding Link-fabric Cots \$1.50
- 29-inch Cotton Beds \$2.50
- Hair Pillows \$2.00
- Fifth Floor.

Our June Sale of Muslin Underwear Continues to Offer Splendid Values

You will find it a pleasure to select your Muslin Undergarments during our June Sale, because we offer choice from an almost unlimited variety of styles at most any price that you may wish to pay. Our stock of both the domestic and foreign lines is equally complete. Our prices are listed below:

- Corset Covers 25c to \$14.50
- Nightgowns 45c to \$65.00
- White Petticoats 45c to \$26.50
- Princess Slips 98c to \$45.00
- Drawers 25c to \$22.50
- Chemises 45c to \$11.75
- Knee Skirts 25c to \$11.75
- Camisoles 50c to \$16.50
- Open-drawer Combinations 98c to \$50.00
- Closed-drawer Combinations 98c to \$9.75
- Teddy Bear Combinations 98c to \$9.75
- Skirt Combinations 98c to \$11.75

The Garment Illustrated

The Teddy Bear Combination or Envelope Chemise illustrated is made of fine nainsook with 3 embroidery medallions, elaborate Val. insertions and lace shoulder straps. Price \$1.48
Corset Covers of nainsook with short lace sleeves, trimmed with net and ribbon drawn. Price \$1.50
Nainsook Corset Covers with yoke of shadow Val. lace medallions. Price 98c
Nainsook Corset Covers with lace yoke and short sleeves. Price 98c
Shadow Lace Camisole with short lace sleeves, trimmed with net and ribbon drawn. Price \$1.50
Two very special values in Nightgowns made with lace yoke and sleeves—one is in the V-slipover style and the other has square neck. Cannot be duplicated at \$1.50
Third Floor, Ninth Street.



Silk Remnants Greatly Reduced

Friday we shall offer our season's accumulation of Silk Remnants, comprising such popular weaves as taffetas, messalines, foulards, figured silks, crepe de chimes and wash silks in hundreds of short lengths, suitable for waists, trimmings, combinations and fancy work. These Silks have been very much reduced, some as low as Half Price
Second Floor.

Women's Separate Skirts

You will experience no difficulty in the selection of a Skirt for Summer if you will visit our Department. There are styles and prices to meet every requirement, and for Friday we are offering some special values.
One pretty Skirt is made of imported ratons, the attractive feature being the fine pearl buttons that extend all the way down the front. We also have this model of plaid crepe. Regular \$6.50 value for \$4.95
Among a host of other Skirts there are several styles specially priced for Friday at \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.00
Third Floor.

Light-weight Dress Goods

If you are going away for a short vacation or for all Summer you will have need for one or two garments of light-weight wool and we call attention to a few suitable fabrics:
All-wool French Bengaline of light weight, suitable for house dresses, etc., shown in brown, navy, Copenhagen and cardinal. The yard 50c
We are offering Black and White Shepherd Checks and Fancy Stripe Suitings, 44 inches wide, that are special values at the yard 50c
Imported Mohairs in navy, tans, grays, etc. These are dustproof and excellent for Summer wear. The yard \$1.00 to \$1.50
All-wool English Serge of fine twill in navy, brown, green, cardinal, etc. 50 inches wide and priced at 75c and \$1.00
Second Floor.

Sheets and Pillowcases

Lay in a supply of Bed Linens while our June Sale is in progress.
Scalloped and hemstitched "Angelus" Sheets are made of a good-wearing quality of cotton and may be had in the following torn sizes:
72x99-inch, for twin beds 90c
81x99-inch, for double beds \$1.00
90x99-inch, for large double beds \$1.10
The scalloped and hemstitched "Angelus" Pillowcases to match may be had in sizes 43x34 and 47x34 inches, at 30c
Hemmed Pillowcases made of a very soft-finished cotton; size 46x36 inches. Regular 12c value, sale price 9c
Linen-finished Pillowcases, made of a heavy, rough-textured cotton and especially good for hotel use are in size 45x34 inches. Regular 15c value, sale price 12c
Second Floor.

Wash Goods for Summer

We have an abundance of Wash Fabrics, including high-class imported Novelties, and the very inexpensive materials, among them being:
New Batiste Lawns of fine sheer quality with floral printings and popular black and white effects. The yard 12c
An assortment of Tissue Ginghams, Imported Voiles and Dimities in light and dark colors. These were formerly priced up to 30c a yard, special now at 15c
We have just received a new shipment of Irish Dimities of a pretty, sheer quality in an excellent assortment of floral designs and black with white printings. The yard 25c
Imported Voiles with white grounds and woven and printed stripes in black. These are 28 and 40 inches wide and priced at 25c and 60c
Second Floor.

June Sale of Linens

If you have not visited our Linen Department since the inauguration of the June Sale, you should not fail to do so tomorrow. Many special values are now obtainable.
All-linen Pattern Tablecloths—size 2 1/2 yards—in rose, chrysanthemum and Marguerite designs. Value \$2.50, sale price \$2.00
23 1/2-inch Napkins to match, the dozen \$5.00
All-linen Hemstitched Pillowcases, size 23 1/2x36 inches. Value \$1.25 a pair, sale price 85c
All-linen Hemstitched Sheets for double beds—size 90x99 inches. Value \$6.00 a pair, sale price \$5.00
All-linen Damask Lunch Cloths, size 36x45 inches, in neat Shamrock or Fleur de Lis pattern. Value \$1.25 each, sale price 75c
Second Floor.

Our Basement Lunchroom

is steadily growing in popularity because of its reputation for serving appetizing light lunches at exceedingly moderate prices. Try it for yourself.

Buy an Electric Fan

You can enjoy the comforts of an Electric Fan this Summer—the prices are moderate and the cost of operation very little. Consider the matter and let us show you our line of Fans.



8-inch Electric Fans—motor will operate on alternating or direct current—has four brass blades and brass guards, sold complete with cord and attachment plug at \$7.50
Westinghouse Feather-weight Electric Fan is ideal for home use, as it is so easily moved from one room to another. It is in the 8-inch size, complete with cord and plug. Price \$6.00
Cooling 8-inch Fan that will operate on direct or alternating current; complete with cord and plug. Price \$12.00
13-inch Westinghouse Alternating-Current Fan with six blades, 10-foot cord and attachment plug; suitable for residence use. Price \$15.00

\$15.00 Fan for \$10.50
We are making a special offer of 13-inch Alternating-Current Electric Fans which have four brass blades and guard and furnished complete with cord and plug. These are \$15.00 fans specially priced at \$10.50.
Basement.

Women's Stockings

We are fully prepared to supply all needs for White Stockings from an all-inclusive stock.
Women's full-fashioned Pure-white Silk-lisle-thread Stockings with double garter top and reinforced heel, sole and toe. The pair 50c
Women's full-fashioned Pure-white Silk-lisle-thread Stockings with fine cotton top, heel, sole and toe. The pair 50c
Children's elastic-ribbed White Lisle-thread Stockings with fashioned top, double knee and spliced heel, sole and toe. This is an excellent-wearing stocking at 25c
First Floor.

Knit Underwear

If you have not secured all of the Knit Underwear you will need to carry you through the Summer we will be pleased to have you come here, where varieties are large and prices moderate.

Women's Summer-weight elastic-ribbed white Cotton Vests in low neck, sleeveless style. Sizes 4, 5 and 6. Value 25c, special at 17c
Women's white Lisle-thread Union Suits, very sheer and silk trimmed. These are made low neck, sleeveless and with tight knee. Sizes 4, 5 and 6. Price \$1.00
Children's Waist Union Suits in sleeveless, knee length style—combining shirt, waist and pants in one garment. Sizes 3 to 12 years. Price 50c
Third Floor.

Embroideries

Our Embroidery Section is splendidly prepared to supply your needs for any and all kinds of embroidery, from the most inexpensive to the finest qualities made.

Two instances:
All-over Voile in all-white or embroidered in colors—35 inches wide. A special value at the yard \$1.00
45-inch Flouncings of sheer organza, beautifully embroidered in the latest designs. These, also, are special values at the yard \$3.00
First Floor.

Gloves at 50c

One really cannot have too many pairs of Washable Gloves in the Summer-time and when you can buy them at such a low price you should get a season's supply.
Women's 16-button-length Chamoulette Gloves—the Kayser make—that will wash well and may be had in white or yellow; sizes 5 1/2 to 8. The pair 50c
Women's Two-class Milanese Silk Gloves with Paris Point backs and double finger tips in white or black. Value 75c a pair, special at 50c
First Floor.

Our Stock of Bathing Suits Is Now at Its Very Best

With most of the swimming pools in the city now open and with many making their arrangements to leave for the Summer, the demand for Bathing Suits is increasing daily.
If you will come to Vandervoort's for yours, you can choose from a stock that we feel confident contains just the suit adapted to your requirements.

Women's Mohair Bathing Suits with white belted bodice and revers of blue and white Bedford cord and trimmed with white pearl buttons; choice of black or navy. Price \$4.25
Another good model is a California Jersey Bathing Suit which is made with square neck and cap-sleeves; trimmed with white figured silk braid. Choice of black or navy. Price \$4.75
Third Floor

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Many beautiful, new pieces of Pottery for the porch and lawn are shown in the China Department. Included are Fern Dishes, Jardinieres, Hanging Baskets, Window Boxes, Vases, etc., in mat green, Morocco, ivory and Oriental effects. Choice of many different sizes, shapes and decoration.

- 6-inch Wall Pockets in ivory finish with openwork top and pink floral decoration. Special price \$1.00
- 15-inch Wall Pockets of mat green or ivory finish. Price \$2
- Beautiful 9-inch Hanging Basket of Alhambra Pottery, with ivy leaf decoration. Price, \$2.50
- 14-inch Window Boxes in ivory finish and with floral designs are priced at \$6.00
- Window Boxes in larger sizes are priced up to \$15.00
- 15-inch Wall Pockets of mat green or ivory finish. Price \$2
- Beautiful 9-inch Hanging Basket of Alhambra Pottery, with ivy leaf decoration. Price, \$2.50
- Hanging Baskets in ivory finish with floral decoration are priced upwards from \$3.25
- China Dept., Fourth Floor.

Sale of Women's Light Dresses at Worth-while Saving in Price

Whether you expect to spend the Summer at home or out of the city you will require a number of simple, light Dresses, and you should not miss this opportunity to purchase them at a saving. For Friday we are offering some extra special values in inexpensive frocks, a few of which we describe below.

\$12.50 for Dresses Valued to \$16.50
This lot includes dainty All-white and Colored Crepe Dresses and a number of smart Striped Voile Frocks with trimmings of organdie, laquered ribbons and lace. The models are among the most popular brought out this season. Values up to \$16.50, special price, Friday \$12.50

\$5.95 for Dresses Valued to \$8.50
The Frocks in this lot are made of striped and dainty light-colored Voiles, fashioned in the long-tunic style. These are exceptionally good looking and being valued up to \$8.50 are sure to sell rapidly at our special price of \$5.95

\$3.95 for Dresses Valued to \$5.95
For outings and morning wear these Dresses of crepe and voile are particularly suitable. There are several styles for choice in white, colors and black and white, but not all sizes in each style or color. Values up to \$5.95, for \$3.95
Third Floor.

\$5 Berry Bowls for \$2.95



To give renewed impetus to our Annual June Sale of Cut Glass, tomorrow we will add 100 Berry Bowls, which will be offered at a price very much less than regular value.
They are the 8-inch size and in three of the most beautiful Rock Crystal designs that it is possible to produce. If sold in the regular way these Bowls would retail at \$5.00, but you may have your choice, while they last, at \$2.95
The above is but one of the many items being offered in this department; just now at a fraction over Half Price. You are not likely, very soon again, to have another such opportunity.
Fourth Floor.

Vote for the New City Charter on June 30

VOTERS NOT ON REGISTRATION BOOKS CAN REGISTER NEXT TUESDAY

EXPERT TELLS WHY ST. LOUIS SHOULD GET NEW CHARTER

Judson King Says Blanket Right of Ownership Is Chief Advantage.

RED TAPE ELIMINATED

Initiative, Referendum and Recall Insures Rule by People, He Asserts.

The strong endorsement of the proposed new city charter by Judson King of Washington carries with it inferentially the endorsement of many United States Senators and other leading advocates of the initiative, referendum and recall associated with him in the National Popular Government League.

King's endorsement of the charter was received in St. Louis in two letters, one addressed to Percy Werner, president of the City Club, and the other to Sheridan Webster, secretary of the People's League. The letter to Webster, advising him to get into the fight for the adoption of the new charter, and sweeping aside every objection Webster raised to it, was printed in the Post-Dispatch Wednesday.

Leaders Associated With Him. United States Senator Robert Owen of Oklahoma is chairman of the Popular Government League. Senators Asbury, Bristow, Clapp, Lea, Myers, Norris, Flanders and Robinson are also members. Besides these Senators, all known as leaders in the direct legislation movement, the managing committee of the organization includes the names of such men as William S. U'Ren of Oregon, the real founder of the initiative, referendum and recall movement in the United States; Herbert Bigelow of Cincinnati; Mayor Newton D. Baker of Cleveland; Gov. Ferriss of Michigan; and Frederick C. Howe of New York.

King is therefore in a position to speak with authority on the subject of the initiative, referendum and recall. In his letter to Werner, he said: "I am free to say that a citizen of St. Louis, and compelled to live under your present form of city government and suffer its consequences, I would support the new charter. I have not the time to give the reasons, but I think it deserves, but certain things stand out very clearly."

"First, it gives you the blanket right of municipal ownership and this frees the city to undertake a multitude of municipal activities for the benefit of the people, inhibited by the present charter with its eighteenth century restrictions. Second, it simplifies your whole machinery of government, eliminates a mass of red tape, checks and balances, enables you to fix responsibility, and does as far as your State Constitution will permit the establishing of an efficient business system for the conduct of the city's vast affairs. It provides a method which it rightly used will insure that the city's employees will be selected on the grounds of efficiency and ability and not upon the grounds of ward heel allegiance."

Human Welfare Is Central Idea. "The opportunities for service opened up by the powers given to the department of public welfare are directly in line with the modern idea that a city government is an institution to promote human welfare as against the ancient idea that it is an institution to empower policemen to wield clubs against wrongdoers or crack the skulls of workmen on a strike. That is to say, it is constructive; it makes toward supplying real human needs and does not leave you in the silly position of trying to enforce a feeble taboo against misdemeanors which grow out of social and economic injustice."

"All these things are a tremendous gain, as well as others I cannot stop to mention. "The question remains as to whether the initiative, referendum and recall provisions will enable the people to control this new system of government. I do not think they are perfect, but I believe them to be perfect enough to warrant you in supporting this charter and the people in adopting it."

"For the record, of a city official, you require 20 per cent of the registered vote of the entire city and so distributed as to require 20 per cent in each of two-thirds of the wards. This is based not upon the vote cast for Mayor, but upon the registered vote, which is an entirely different thing. In my judgment this requires too many signatures and the distribution is too severe. "Second, under the conditions laid down, I do not object to the provision giving the City Council the right to repeal or amend a measure adopted by a vote of the people. "One year must elapse before any change can be made and a 3 per cent petition can refer any attempt to modify or repeal vital enactments of the people. This gives you flexibility and safety. "We must not make a fetish of popular enactments, as though they were something sacred. What we are after is results, and it is foolish to say that minor changes which time and conditions prove desirable should not be made, save by a referendum vote. Vital enactments are amended by the City Council, the people who have not the energy or interest in their own affairs to secure a 3 per cent petition deserve to be betrayed. Perhaps it is the only way that will make them up and make better citizens of them."

"The provision which gives the power by a vote of four out of five of the committee of the petitioners to withdraw a petition is a new experiment in direct legislation and one which I think deserves to be tried out."

National Expert Tells Why Charter Ought to Be Adopted

Judson King, executive secretary of the National Popular Government League at Washington, D. C., the foremost organization in the United States for the promotion of the initiative, referendum and recall, has written a letter to Sheridan Webster of the People's League, strongly endorsing the proposed new city charter. Webster wrote to King expecting that he would come out against the charter. Here are the strong points King emphasizes why every citizen of St. Louis ought to vote for the charter:

"If the commission had refused to give you the initiative on amendments to the charter or had placed your petitions at twenty-five or thirty-five per cent or any other essentially fatal provisions, I should say at once that it was your duty to reject the charter, but they have not done this; you are in a better position than the people of most other cities in your popular government provisions and I believe that if you conduct a campaign against the charter on these points, you are standing in your own light and rejecting a great and positive good for a quibble."

"Let me add another thing; you and myself and other men of our kind who give ourselves to promoting reforms and who so severely criticize the present order are called cranks, dreamers and unreasonable agitators by the other side. Neither you nor I shrink from this for a minute, but we can hinder our cause by as means more surely than by carrying our opposition and distrust to such extreme lengths that we may be truly called cranks."

"And so I believe, were I a citizen of St. Louis, living under your antiquated charter, I should jump into this fight, help get the new one, and then, later on, go in to improve it on occasion presented the necessity, for remember again, they have given you the tools with which to improve your charter."

WHY 'BIG CINCH' IS AGAINST CHARTER

Committee Points Out Instrument Lets People Control Government.

The high lights of the charter campaign, from the standpoint of the new charter's supporters, appear in a statement which has been issued by the committee on arguments, a subordinate body of the Citizens' New Charter Campaign Committee. This subcommittee consists of Martin J. Collins, William Preston Hill, E. R. Kinsey and Owen Miller.

The arguments, on which it is intended to place the entire emphasis of the campaign, are under four heads, as follows: "The old charter is utterly obsolete as an instrument of government. The issue is not between the details of the old and the proposed charter, but between an antiquated and modern form of government, between a charter adapted to the needs of a small city of 40 years ago and the needs of a growing metropolitan city of today."

"2. St. Louis is the only large city in the United States which has not changed its organic law in whole or in large part in 38 years. The progress and growth of modern cities demand an entirely new type of city government, which is being adopted throughout the world. "Our nearest rivals in population, Boston and Cleveland, recently adopted this type of new city charter, under which the cities are bound to grow. If St. Louis is to stay in the race she must do the same."

"3. The new charter is an entirely different kind of charter from the old. It is essentially a people's charter. It does two big things. First, it puts the real control of government in the hands of the public, instead of the special interests and machine politicians. It does this through the initiative, referendum and recall, the short ballot, the provision for municipal ownership and the regulation of franchises and public utilities. "Second, it provides for efficient public service so that every citizen and every home will be better served in clean, safe, better streets, more facilities for recreation, etc. Every citizen will get more for his taxes. Public employees are to be selected because they are fit for their jobs, not because of politics. "The new charter gets these results through the Efficiency Board, a new Board of Public Welfare (to deal with poverty, disease and crime) and by simplifying the work of all the big departments."

"The new charter is an instrument of humanity and service, not a mere academic form of government. "The chief opponents of the new charter are a group of people who have never been in favor of any new charter. They distrust any reform they do not originate themselves. "Back of them, unseen but formidable, are the franchise-holding interests and their allies, the machine politicians, who are the real opponents of the proposed charter. Of course the so-called 'big cinch' is against the charter because it loosens their hold on city government by giving the people, not the politicians, control. But the 'big cinch' works quietly and makes capital out of the active opposition of knackers and cranks."

Busy See Candy Bargaon Friday. Cream Melasses Chips. Cream Pecan Marshmallow Jumbles. 30c lb.

REPUBLICAN WARD LEADERS PROMISE BIG CHARTER VOTE

City Committeemen Tell the Post-Dispatch of Their Personal Attitude on Code.

Members of the Republican City Committee were interviewed Thursday by Post-Dispatch reporters on their attitude toward the new charter. They expressed their personal views, and told of their work to have the charter adopted. The committee, as a body, went on record Tuesday in favor of the charter.

Twenty-four of the 25 members were present at the meeting. The charter was discussed in detail. Three members are understood to have voted against an endorsement of the charter, but when a motion was made that the vote for the charter be unanimous, they did not oppose the motion. Chairman Schmolli said the Republican organization of the city would use its best efforts to bring out a big vote for the charter. I will do all in my power to obtain its adoption."

JOHN SCHMOLLI, Thirteenth Ward, Chairman of Committee—The Committee has gone on record in favor of the charter and the action of the committee means that all of its members will work for it. Only four members were absent from the meeting, and they are all right on the charter. I am satisfied the Thirteenth Ward will give good vote for the charter, and I will do all in my power to obtain its adoption."

GEORGE MEISINGER, Tenth Ward—I have arranged to have Mayor Kiel explain the charter to the precinct and other party men in the Tenth Ward next Thursday night. I will conduct other meetings if necessary and expect to get out a big vote for the charter. This ward is the stronghold of the Socialists and it will be harder for me to roll up a majority than any other committeeman. But I will work hard for the charter."

PETER ANDERSON, First Ward—I am opposed to the new charter and voted against its endorsement at the meeting of the committee. I also notified the secretary of the campaign committee that I would not accept appointment to work for the charter in the First Ward. I told him that I was generally opposed to a charter, but would turn over the city to the "Royalist Party." I do not want to see the masses arrayed against the classes in America and I think this is just the effect of this charter. A Mayor elected under it would be as powerful and could ignore the sentiment of men of all parties."

GUS FREY, Seventh Ward: The organization in the Seventh Ward is going to put in hard work for the charter. We are for it and we mean to get out the vote for it. Our present activity is directed toward getting out all the voters who are not registered and getting their names on the registration books Tuesday. We are sending notices to all voters giving them information about the location of polling places and the need for them to register. I shall be glad to work with the Democratic committeemen who wish me in bringing out the vote of both parties for the charter."

CHARLES A. NEUMANN, Twelfth Ward: I don't know how big a vote the Twelfth Ward will give the new charter, but I know that the Republican organization of the ward is working hard for it. We are going to have a meeting of all precinct committeemen Sunday and we will then receive the lower East ward precinct. After that meeting we will be able to tell just about what the ward will do. I am satisfied that the ward will give the charter a good majority, and probably a two-thirds vote."

NAT GOLDSTEIN, Nineteenth Ward: I am for the charter lock, stock and barrel, and the Nineteenth Ward will be for it by a large majority. The present organization is working hard and we will get results. ELMER L. MOONE, Twentieth Ward: I am for the charter lock, stock and barrel, and the Twentieth Ward will be for it by a large majority. The present organization is working hard and we will get results."

She Sees Him Dragged Into Hall, Calls Policeman and Subdues Robber With Club. NEW YORK, June 11.—William Patterson, secretary of the Social Service Commission of Philadelphia, while slumming through the lower East yesterday, was dragged into a hallway by two footpads, who hit him on the head and rifled his pockets. The robbers were interrupted by a policeman and a girl who had seen them hustle Patterson into the hallway. After a battle, during which the girl clubbed one of the robbers into submission with the policeman's billy, the pair were led off to a police station. Patterson was sent to a hospital.

BUD FISHER'S WIFE IS HURT AS AUTOS COLLIDE. She Was Pinned Beneath Car and Seriously Injured, but Condition Is Improving. NEW YORK, June 11.—Mrs. Pauline Fisher, 28 years old, wife of Bud Fisher, the lower East was seriously injured when two motor cars collided early today. Five other persons in the two cars were injured. Her condition is improving. Mrs. Fisher was one of a party of four in automobile driven by Lawrence E. Lamb of Bay Chester road, when another car dashed into it. The Lamb car was overturned and Mrs. Fisher was pinned beneath it.

COLOMBIAN TREATY NEXT. WASHINGTON, June 11.—Secretary Bryan announced today that the Colombian treaty, by which it is proposed to pay \$25,000,000 to the South American Republic for the partition of Panama, will go to the Senate for action immediately after disposition of the Panama treaty exemption repeal. The treaty has been ratified by the Colombian Congress.

Ward: I was for the charter before and I am for this new charter now. The organization of my ward is for it and is devoting all of its energies to get out a big vote for the charter. We generally win when we support any proposition with the vigor that is shown in our work in this instance."

WILLIAM C. METZ, Twenty-fourth Ward: I was not at the meeting of the committee when the charter was introduced, and I have not given it sufficient study to be fully determined as to whether I am for it. I am not against it, however, and I think from what I know of it that I shall support it. I believe that at least more than a majority of the voters in the Twenty-fourth Ward will vote for the charter."

NICHOLAS A. POLITO, Fourth Ward—I shall make an active campaign in the Fourth Ward for the charter. The precinct organization will be active and will work hard to bring out a good vote for the charter on election day."

JAMES N. MEKELVEY, Twenty-third Ward—We shall make an active campaign in our ward. We will hold public meetings for discussion of the charter. The first one will be held next week at a date which will be agreeable to Mayor Kiel. I will arrange for slides to be shown in motion picture shows in the ward to call attention to the good points of the charter. I feel sure the ward will give a big majority for the charter."

JOSEPH E. THOMAS, Twenty-eighth Ward—Our work will be devoted solely to getting out the vote for the charter on election day. The sentiment of the voters of the Twenty-eighth Ward is so overwhelmingly for the charter that there is no need for public meetings. The Democratic organization of the ward has agreed to co-operate with our organization."

R. E. MOORE, Sixteenth Ward: I will do everything in my power to promote the passage of the charter in my ward. We will hold a meeting after the registration, June 14, at which Mayor Kiel and others will discuss the charter. I expect a big majority for the charter among the Republicans of the Sixteenth Ward."

PHILIP: A diamond-set La Valliere would suit me for a graduation gift. Get it at Loflin Bros. & Co. The National Credit Jewellers, 24 floor, 308 N. 6th St. Open every evening.

SWAMP Yacht Is Burned. NEW ORLEANS, La., June 11.—The yacht Josephine, owned by Theodore Groszwald and valued at \$6,000, burned to the water's edge early today, when moored in Bayou St. John. The yacht was one of the handsomest pleasure craft in these waters.

Two Special Values in Flouncings. Extreme values in very desirable goods. 45-inch Crepe or Voile Flouncings, floral or conventional designs—yard, 29c. 18-inch Oriental Net Flouncings in pleasing designs for dress trimmings, yard, 39c. (Main Floor.)

Store Opens 8:30 A. M., Closes 6 P. M. Daily

Men's Suit Sale, Choice of the House, \$15

This is not the only clothing sale now being held. We know that. But this is a different kind of a sale. It is a sale of our regular goods, bought for our regular trade and marked at our regular prices, \$19.50, \$22.50, \$25, \$30 and \$35. No matter what they are marked, however, you take your choice at \$15. Sizes 32 to 48, regular, stout, slim models; worsteds, chevots, cassimeres, blacks, blues, pencil stripes, mixtures, conservative or English models.

Palm Beach Suits, \$7.25. Palm Beach Suits are the hit of the season. Palm Beach cloth is a mixture of mohair and linen, woven porous, and is as nearly ideal for hot weather wear as any cloth could be. These Suits are in solid gray or tan; also stripe effects, in sack model. Regular or extra sizes.

Boys' Suits Reduced From \$4.50. Double-breasted or Norfolk styles; blues, blacks and mixtures; sizes 7 to 17 years. This is a special offering of much importance.

Boys' Blouse 25c. Madras, gingham or chambrays; light, medium or dark shades; made with attached collars; sizes from 6 to 15 years. These are particularly strong values at 25c. (Third Floor.)

Straw Hats, \$1.45 Special. Sennits, split straws, Milans, Mackinaws and fancy Jap straws, including a number of Dunlap and Henry Heath Straw Hats in a variety of good styles, \$1.45. (Third Floor.)

HOT WEATHER COMFORTS. Inexpensive Helps That Will Go Toward Making Life Worth Living.

Electric Fans. The luxury of yesterday—the necessity of today. In the home they are a big health help. They keep the air stirred up—fresh and cool. Particularly desirable in the sick-room or nursery.

For Drinkers. Stone Water or Iced Tea Jugs, 1/2 gal. size, 10c. Colonial glass Iced Tea Jugs, 1/2 gal. size, 25c.

For the Little Tots. Hot weather comforts, just received. Tub Dresses of chambray, figured lawn, crepe, percale, gingham or white lawn. Low neck, short sleeves, belted and long waisted effects. Sizes 2 to 6 years, 50c.

Foster Ideal Safety Baby Beds, \$6.75. This is a special value, Foster's Ideal Safety Baby Beds are 30x54 inches in size, have extra high sliding sides, come in Vernis Martin, white or special finish. Complete with good springs and castors. Larger size, 36x60 in., \$7.40.

With each Bed we will give a handsomely bound and illustrated "Baby's Biography," in which a record of the kid's life is start in life may be kept as it should be kept. (Second Floor.)

Wash Chamoisette Gloves. For street wear, or motoring, sturdy, good looking, inexpensive and smart long or short, 50c, \$1, \$1.25. Tricot Silk Gloves, 16-button length, double tipped fingers, white or black, 65c. (Main Floor.)

New Lawn Porch Dresses, \$1.50. Made of fancy striped lawn, in neat patterns, in a splendid assortment of light, cool colors; they have low necks and elbow sleeves, with embroidered collar and cuffs. Women's and misses' sizes.

"Handy Dandy" HouseDresses, \$1. Low neck, elbow sleeve models; splendid quality percale, in figures, stripes or checks. Sizes 34 to 46.

New Ratine Skirts, \$1.69. Women's Skirts, good quality ratine, long tunic model, finished with pearl buttons.

New Lingerie Waists, \$1. Dainty, new Waists of batiste or voile. New low neck, elbow sleeve styles, lace or embroidery trimmed. Sizes 34 to 44. (Second Floor.)

Mesh Bags Repaired. Silver \$1 Gold \$2. If you have a Mesh Bag that is the worse for wear—if it is broken, tarnished or the plating worn off; if the lining is worn out or torn—bring it here and we will have it repaired, replated, relined and put in perfect condition at this nominal price. This offer is made for Friday, Saturday and Monday only—and must be withdrawn then. (Main Floor.)

Summer Corsets 75c and \$1. Two very light weight, comfortable, inexpensive corset models for hot weather wear. They are desirable in every way. At 75c—Thomson's cross-bar net corsets, very low bust, girder tops, long hips, soft side, double hose supporters. At \$1—C. B. cross bar net corsets, medium bust, long hips, front and side supporters—sizes 19 to 30. (Fourth Floor.)

BASEMENT BARGAINS. Skirts, \$1. Blue and black serges, Whipcords, voiles or twills. Good, serviceable Skirts, every one of them. Taken from lines formerly priced \$3.50 to \$5.00. Pillowcases, Special, 15c. Bleached Pillowcases, made of short ends of high-grade sheetings. Size 45x36 inches. Boys' Wash Suits, 55c. This is a grouping of several lots of higher priced goods which have been soiled and are reduced for quick disposal. They are Russian blouse style; of chambrays, ginghams and madras. Colonial, Pumps and Oxford, \$1.50, \$1.98. Patent colt, dull leather and tan Russia calf Pumps and Oxford; turn or welt soles; button or lace styles. The Oxford have high or low heels; sizes 2 to 8, \$1.50. Colonial, Pumps and Oxford, ultra fashionable styles; patent colt, dull leather or tan calf; Oxford in button or lace styles; plain Pumps and Colonial; Louis or Cuban heels of leather or enameled covered wood; turn and welt soles; sizes 2 1/2 to 8, \$1.98. Opaque Window Shades, plain or figured; mounted on automatic spring roller, 25c. Silk Tassel Fringe for draperies, curtains or lambrequins; all colors; yard, 5c. Reversible Drapery Etamine; 40 inches wide; for curtains or draperies; yard, 15c. Cable net, Scotch or Nottingham Lace Curtains; double thread; splendid patterns; white, ivory or Arabian; pair, \$1.35. Imported Colored Drapery Madras; 50 inches wide; for library, living or dining room hangings; yard, 45c. Remnants of Laces, Fancy Serim, Cretonne and Etamine, in short lengths; yard, 5c. Garden Hose; 4-ply; 50-ft. length, \$4. B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Ave. and St. Charles

'RED VIRGIN' SENT TO WORKHOUSE AS PEACE DISTURBER

Jane Est of I. W. W. Gets Three Months for Trying to Break Up Meeting.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Jane Est, who has been called "the Red Virgin of the I. W. W.," was arrested in Madison Square Tuesday after she had eluded a crowd that had gathered outside Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst's church to listen to a speech being made under the auspices of the International Peace Forum by Frank Urban. Urban has been attacking I. W. W. doctrines on patriotic grounds.

"Just wanted to shut off that damned psalm-singer," the "Red Virgin" told a patrolman when he, fearing a riot, took her by the arm to lead her away. Urban interceded for the woman, but she was taken to a police station.

"We've met before," said Lieut. Powers. "Surest thing you know," replied Miss Est, "and we'll meet a lot more."

Before Magistrate Campbell, who had sent to prison Bouck White, head of the Church of the Social Revolution, Miss Est acted as her own lawyer. She argued and cross-examined the top of her voice until the magistrate shut her off.

"Is that all?" he asked. "That's all," she replied, folding her arms. Magistrate Campbell thereupon sentenced her to three months in the workhouse.

James J. Janssen, a real estate man at Broadway, Tarrytown, yesterday informed Village President Pearson that Alexander Berkman was trying to buy a house as near as possible to the First Baptist Church, which the Rockefeller family attend in Tarrytown. Janssen said Berkman wanted the house as a "headquarters of free speech." Janssen promised the Village Trustees that he would not sell to Berkman, and the

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Columbus Man Among Those Who Get Belated Degrees From Alabama University.

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Then Dr. Westmoreland with many others found themselves unable to complete their education, because of the havoc wrought by the conflict and they turned their attention to making a living.

Upon the recommendation of the president of the university the Board of Trustees decided to give diplomas to all students who left the University to join the army, and these diplomas have just been presented.

La Salle Friday Bargains. Asst. Coconut Patties, 15c box, and Asst. Cherry and Lemon Drops, 10c lb.

WORMS BY PARCEL POST. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 11.—The Terre Haute Postoffice believes it handled as parcel post mail the first assortment of grub worms ever consigned to Uncle Sam's care.

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Heading the Most Interesting News Sheet of the Entire Paper This Evening With a Quite Extraordinary Sale of "Adler" Silk Gloves



At Greatly Reduced Prices
"Sales" of the celebrated "Adler" Silk Gloves are few and far between.
We venture, no matter how hard you rack your brain, you cannot remember the last sale of Adler Gloves in which an assortment of seasonal and latest styles, in all sizes—every pair perfect—has been offered.

Just Such a Sale Is This One Which We Will Begin Tomorrow.

All because the manufacturers of Adler Gloves realized that the late season made it advisable for them to "get from under" the large stocks which they had on hand, at the earliest possible time. We offer the following special groups:

"Adler" Silk Gloves, Regularly \$1.50, Special, \$1 Pair.

Come in the much-wanted 16-button length, and are made of heavy-weight Milanese silk, with Paris point back and double finger tips. Come in black and white; \$1.50 Gloves at \$1 Pair

"Adler" Silk Gloves, Regularly \$1, 75c Pair
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16-button-length, of heavy weight tricot silk, with double finger tips and Paris point back. Come in black, white, tan, gray and navy.

"Adler" Silk Gloves, Regularly 85c, 65c Pair
16-button-length, of good quality tricot silk, with double finger tips. Come in black and white.

Two-clasp—of heavy weight Milanese silk, with Paris point backs, and double finger tips. Come in black and white.

(Main Floor.)

Silks From Olman Bros.' Bankrupt Stock

\$1 Messalines, 59c Yd.
Satin Messalines, in plain colors and hairline stripes—36 in. wide.
\$1 Lining Satins, 69c
Come in herringbone and serge weaves, in plain colors and gray—36 inches wide.
\$3.50 Poplins, \$2.45
Richly-watered Silk-and-Wool Poplins, in colors and black—40 inches wide.

Extra Special—\$1.50 and \$2 Crepes, Poplins and Satins at 98c Yard

Beautiful Printed Poplins in new, small figures—printed Crepe de Chines, Black and Colored Satin Charmeuse, Crepes, Brocade Taffeta Silks, very special at 98c yard

(Second Floor.)

June Sale and Olman Bros.' Stock Embroideries

A Combination Which Is Responsible for the Most Extraordinary Embroidery Values.

\$1 and \$1.50 Flouncings, 50c Yd.

45 inches wide—of the finest quality Swiss, voile and sheer crepe—others of linen—embroidered in attractive patterns, in white and ecru.

Special—45-Inch Flouncings, 49c Yd.
Of the finest quality net—embroidered in the season's most effective designs, and come in white and ecru—regular \$1 quality.

25c Camisole Laces, 12½c yd.
10c Shadow Laces, 5c yd.
50c and \$1 Emb. Allovers, 39c

10c & 15c Embroideries, 5c yd.
50c and 75c Val. Laces, 15c doz.
75c Emb'd Flouncings, 29c yd.

\$1 Crepe Embroid. Allovers, 59c
10c Flouncings (18 in.), 10c yd.
50c Organdie Edges, 25c yd.

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Notions

From Olman Bros.' Stock

Cable Cord—white only. Large size. Regularly 5c, three yards, 5c.

Buttonhole Twist—10-yd. spools. Regularly 25c dozen—at 10c doz.

Dress Fasteners—black and white—assorted sizes. Regularly 5c dozen—at three dozen, 5c.

Dressmaker Pins—best quality—½-pound boxes. Regularly 25c box—special, 15c box.

Stickered Wash Braids—12 in. color—4-yard pieces. Regularly 25c—special at 15c.

Blue Seam Tape—fine quality lawn—6-yd. pieces—narrow width. Regularly 10c—at 5c.

Inside Belting—black and white—special, 10c yard.

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Dress Trimmings

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Gimpes, Braids and Fringes—a great assortment. Regularly 25c to 60c yard—at 5c, 10c, and 15c yd.

Embroidered, Bead and Tinsel Appliques, Bands and Edges, consisting of Jet, light and dark colored beads—best quality. Sell regularly at \$1 to \$4 yard—choice, 25c, 50c, 90c and \$1.25 yard.

Remnants and sample lengths—a few Ornaments, Yokes and odds and ends of Dress Trimmings—choice, 15c each.

Remnants of Braids and Gimpes—3 to 4-yard pieces—choice, 5c ea.

(Main Floor.)

China, Glass—

The very articles in china and glassware required for Summer use.

Tumblers, 35c Dozen
As illustrated—five hundred dozen of thin blown Tumblers—standard size—regularly 50c—while the quantity lasts—special, 35c dozen.

25c Cup and Saucer, 18c
Japanese Teacups and Saucers, of translucent china—nicely decorated.

15c Coasters, 10c
Imported China Coasters, water and ice tea glass size.

Sugar and Creamer, 48c
Japanese, China Sugar and Cream Sets, with pretty flower decoration—medium size—regularly 75c.

\$17 Dinner Sets, 12c
100-piece best quality Homer Laughlin semi-porcelain Dinner Sets, with beautiful olive green border, richly illuminated with gold.

(Fifth Floor.)

Rugs for Summer Use

Japanese Matting Rugs, Special, \$2.25

The kind which you can use on either side, and come in colors green, brown, blue or red. Size 9x12 feet.

Matting, 19c to 35c Yd.
China and Japanese Matting, in beautiful designs and colorings—special at 19c to 35c yard.

Scotch Art Rugs
Aberdeen Scotch Art Rugs—the most beautiful bungalow rugs woven—in dainty light colors to match any color scheme, and come in sizes 36x63 inches up to 12x15 feet—at prices ranging from \$2.75 to \$30.

75c Lineoleums, 49c Sq. Yd.
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Though there is not a complete size-range in any one style, every style is good and all sizes are represented in the lot as a whole. All the popular wool, wash and silk materials are included.

Each garment was formerly marked two and three times the present price, and is, indeed, a "gem" at the sale price of \$10 or \$15

Women's Mohair Coats \$6.95
These Coats are made of the very best quality mohair, modeled over a very nobby design, which gives more style than one ordinarily expects in a coat of mohair.

Made full length, with raglan sleeves, patch pockets and the ingenious "wind-proof" cuffs.

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A group of Coats which has been especially assembled to fill the needs of those who wish inexpensive dust-proof garments for motoring wear.

They are extremely desirable, made with raglan sleeves and convertible collar, and come in gray and natural.

(Third Floor.)

Petticoat and Camisole Specials

98c—Petticoats with cambric tops. Some with double panel front, and embroidery flounce—others trimmed with lace or embroidery.

\$1.50—Cambric Petticoats—trimmed with lace or embroidery and heading. Some have scalloped edges.

Camisoles at 75c
Pretty Lingerie Camisoles—trimmed with lace insertion and edge.

Made of lingerie and crepe de chine—trimmed with lace insertion and medallions—some have short lace sleeves.

(Second Floor.)

Sample Corsets, \$1

\$1.50 and \$2 Quality

Long rustproof models—made of batiste, with low bust, extra long skirt, and three pairs heavy web supporters. Good assortment of sizes—in standard makes.

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Women's Hdkfs., 10c

Regular 15c and 25c Kinds

Of pure Irish linen and shamrock cloth, in hand-embroidered corner effects. Some with defects, others a trifle soiled.

Men's 5c Handkerchiefs, of pure Irish linen. 19c each

Extra Special—
Women's Handkerchiefs, of pure Irish linen and sheer shamrock cloth—10c and 15c kinds.

(Main Floor.)

Sale of Regular \$1 Silk Stockings

at 50c Pair

Slight "seconds"—in which the imperfections are hardly noticeable. Accordion ribbed and two-tone effects, in combinations such as black and white, black and green, black and purple, black and royal.

All made with reinforced soles and toes, with double thread, 50c pair

Misses' \$1 Silk Stockings at, Pr., 50c

Pure Irish Silk Stockings, in black and colors—reinforced in soles, heels and toes. (Main Floor.)

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Laces—Embroideries

Almost every imaginable kind, remnants, very 5c to \$1.50 special at each.

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Choice Friday, (Escalator Sq.—Main Floor.)

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25c Parasols
Of pure silk and silk-and-linen, in the new colors, with handles to harmonize.

\$1 White Rattines
Made of fine white cotton, 44 inches wide—special 50c Friday at yard.

75c Corset Covers
Of nainsook, lace, embroidery and heading trimmed. Some with short fancy sleeves. 49c

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Of new piques, rattines and lineas, in short single, double and long Russian tunic effects—usually \$2.98 to \$3.98—at \$1.98

"Wirthmor" Waists
Win the admiration of all who see them. Very dainty and sheer value at \$1

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Regular \$35, \$40 and \$45 Values

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These are as fine Summer Dresses as the finest makers ever sent out.

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The majority of the materials are from Rodier & Co., high-class Paris importers. There are beautiful Summery frocks of voiles, crepes, rattines, embroidered tissues, organdies, batistes and pure linens.

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Special for Friday, in the Misses' and Girls' Store

Misses' Lace Dresses at \$9.95

Former Prices \$14.75 to \$29.75

Made of finest Shadow lace and net, in two or three-tier style. Come in white and ecru. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years. Priced for quick clearance, \$9.95

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Made of taffeta, pussy willow, flowered and figured silks, also crepe de chine, in styles suitable for afternoon and evening wear. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Clear-away price, \$9.95

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Girls' \$4 to \$6 Wash Dresses at \$2

Come in pretty linens, reps, piques, chambrays and Anderson gingham. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Basement—Friday Will Be the Great Day in the Sale of the Olman Bros.' \$67,500 Bankrupt Stocks

Interesting Specials in Staple Dry Goods for Friday's Sale

19c White Crepes, 12½c Yd.
Soft-finished White Crepes, several styles and finishes, special at 12½c yd.

Silk and Cotton Fabric at 10c Yard
Silk and Cotton Fabrics, such as Jap Silks, Crepes, Poplins, etc.—in lengths 3 to 10 yards—up to 25c values—special at 15c yard

25c Organdies, 7½c Yd.
Fine, sheer, fancy printed Dolly Varden Organdies, 30-in. wide. Special at 7½c yd.

15c Voiles, 10c Yd.
Solid colored, woven striped Voiles, 26 inches wide. Special at 10c yd.

3 O'Clock Special
3000 yards of fancy printed light-weight dark and light colored Mercerized Foulards Regular 12½c quality—special at 7½c Yd.

All-White Voiles (38-Inch) at 10c Yd.
Final Clean-up of All Piece Goods From Olman Bros., Such as Rattines, Voiles, Rice Cloth, Crepes, Piques, Etc., at About ½ to ½ Value.

Battenberg Curtains, Special, 98c Pair
Made of good quality bobbinet, with insertions and edges of Battenberg lace. Full width and 2½ yards long. Worth fully half more. Special, 98c pair

Nottingham Curtains, 79c
Nottingham Lace Curtains that will give excellent service. Full width, three yards long. Special value at 79c pair

Lace Curtains, \$1.49 Pr.
Exact copies of Brussels, Battenberg, Cluny, Arabian and Irish Point Laces, white and Arabian color, of Scotch nets, Nottingham and Cable nets; worth one-third to one-half more. Special, \$1.49 pr.

Women's \$2, \$2.50, \$1 Pr.
\$3 Low Shoes, \$1 Pr.
Satin Evening Slippers, in black, white and colors, two-strap gunmetal Pumps, turn soles, plain black satin Pumps, hand-turned soles, patent Pumps, Colonial and two-strap, with hand-turned soles. Also Mary Jane Pumps, in patent and gunmetal for misses and children—and many other styles—Ranging in value from \$2 to \$3.50—in all sizes. (Basement.)

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Gloves 50c Pair
Kayser's 16-button-length Chamollette Gloves, in white and natural shades, also white with black embroidered backs. (Basement.)

Bakery Special
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25c Lemon Drops, 10c lb.
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High-class Suits of broadcloth silks, moires, gabardines, crepes, in green, violet, tan, gray, tango, navy and Copenhagen blue, also black and Shepherd checks. From 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement. Also extra sizes up to 53.

Suits of moire silk, serges and novelty cloths, in a variety of colors, including Copenhagen and navy blue, tan, tango and black. Every garment lined with peau de cygne, and in trimmed or plain styles. All sizes in the lot from 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement.

\$5 Summer Wash Suits, and \$10 and \$12.50 Cloth Suits, \$2.98

This sale price scarcely covers the cost of materials in these attractive Suits, for they are made of good quality serges, novelty cloths and pure linen. The Linen Suits are in oyster pink and blue; the Serge and Novelty Suits in navy and Copenhagen, tan, tango and black. All sizes in the assortment from 14 years to 44-inch bust measurement.

\$15 to \$25 Evening Gowns, \$7.98

Beautiful afternoon and evening Gowns, in the latest styles, of net, crepe, voiles, taffetas, chiffons and lingerie cloth, in many pretty colors and white. All sizes up to 44-inch bust measurement.

\$3.98 to \$6.98 Frocks, \$1.98 to \$2.98

Summer Frocks of lingerie cloth, rattines, voiles, crepes, tissues and other Summer fabrics, in checks, plain colors, floral and striped effects.

\$1.50 and \$2 Tub Dresses, Special at 50c and 75c

Of lawn, gingham, tissues, linens, plain colors, checks and stripes, with scallops of embroidery and piping of contrasting colors.

Lawn Dressing Sacques, special at 25c

\$1 White Skirts, special at 50c

\$1.25 to \$2.50 White Wash Skirts, \$1

\$3 Novelty Cloth Skirts, special 98c

\$3 and \$4 Serge Skirts, latest styles, \$1.98

\$5 & \$6 Crepe, Serge Novelty Skirts, \$2.98

Girls' \$1.50 Gingham Dresses at 85c

Girls' \$2 and \$3 White Lawn Dresses, \$1.25

50c to \$1 Summer Wash Waists at 25c

\$1 to \$1.25 Summer Wash Waists, 50c

\$1.50 to \$3 Silk and Wash Waists, \$1.

\$2, \$4 and \$5 Silk and Wash Waists, \$1.50

CRAIG MINSTRELS GIVE GREAT SHOW TO SAVE BABIES

Clever Juvenile Company Distinguishes Itself in Big Pure Milk Fund Benefit.

CONTRIBUTIONS.
Previously acknowledged \$445.33
D. L. L. 1.00
W. W. B. 1.00
Maggie Club of Ferguson, Mo. 2.00
Robert Franklin Grady Jr. 2.00
George Merrill Grady and John Henry Grady, 5400 Maple avenue 3.00
National Co-operative Drug Co., Wright Building 5.00
"A Friend" 1.00

Although Wednesday was the hottest day of the year, and Wednesday night was stifling in its torrid fierceness, a fairly large evening audience assembled at the Mikado Theater, 2551 Easton avenue, to witness the performance of the Walter Craig Minstrels for the benefit of the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund to save the tenement babies.

It was a truly beautiful sight, this uniting of grown folks and children in a splendid voluntary rallying for the rescue of the little ones of the poor, whose lives are in such deadly peril due to the cruel heat.

Its significance was inspiring. It means that nothing will be permitted to daunt the loyal friends of the tenement tots, so resolutely determined to do all in their power for the saving of the babies from the vampire-monster created by the hot wave, a monster that will sap the lives of the tots away from their frail bodies unless they are provided with the pure milk that alone can give them the strength to battle with grim death in the tenements.

And there was joy and laughter in the big gathering—the joy and laughter of a brave rescuing army aligned in battle array for life-saving service of the noblest quality.

The Walter Craig Minstrels, a company of children ranging from 4 to 12 years of age, covered themselves with glory. They gave as clever and as brightly entertaining a performance as one could wish to see—cleverer than some performances that have been given by grown-up players on the professional stage.

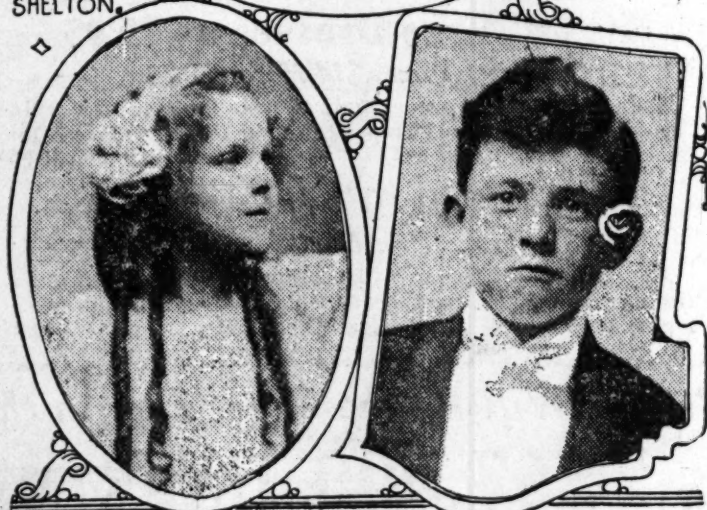
Under the skillful direction of Walter Craig, 12 years old, "the youngest stage manager," this performance went forward without interruption from start to finish, a completed and amazingly competent achievement. Admirable minstrelsy, tuneful and picturesque solo and ensemble singing and dancing, delightfully humorous little comedy sketches, all were included in the offering. The program as presented in detail was:

FIRST PART—MINSTREL ACTS.
International Rag—Ben Fay and Edith Doyon
Love Her Oh! Oh! Oh!—Blaine McGilway
Down on de Levee—Walter Craig
Mammy Jimmie's Day—Ardith Friedrich
Oh Out and Go—Walter Craig
Who Paid the Rent for Mrs. Rip Van Winkle—Walter Craig
Afraid of You, Broadway—Walter Craig
Good-bye, Bye—Walter Craig
All Aboard for Dixie—Walter Craig
Selling Down Chastanooga—Lorraine Irwin
Sit Down—Dorothy Craig and Willie Egbert
Down in Chattanooga—Russell Buhrman

Manager and Three Players of Last Night's Fund Show



WALTER
CRAIG
AND
MARY
SHELTON.



LOLAINE IRWIN.

RUSSELL BUHRMAN.

Let's All Go Round to Mary Ann's...
The Goblines Will Get You...
Hoamin' in the Gloamin'...
A Sprig of Shamrock...
Duo...
The Willie Egbert and Dorothy Craig...
When I Want to Settle Down...
Woodland Frolic...
Do You Take This Woman...
Solo Dance...
Gypsy...
Butterfly Dance...
If I Had Someone Like You at Home...
Pettie Hoffman...
At the Millionaires' Tango Ball...
Lorraine Irwin...
Flirtation Dance—

PURE-MILK STATIONS

THE stations where pure milk is now being distributed are:

Jewish Charities, Ninth and Carr streets.
Neighborhood Association, 817 N. Nineteenth street.
Kingdom House Mission, 1033 South Eighth street.
Boyle Memorial Center, 816 North Eleventh street.
City Dispensary Branch No. 1, 3741 North Broadway.
Epworth Settlement, 3019 Bell avenue.
Markham Memorial Church, Julia and Menard streets.
Children's Hospital, 400 South Jefferson avenue.
Holy Cross House, 2500 North Twelfth street.
Eba Ears Lodge, Jefferson avenue and Carr street.
Laboratory, 1726 North Thirtieth street.
Victor Street Mission, Third and Victor streets.
Guardian Angel Settlement, Marston and Menard streets.
Bethlehem Congregational Church, 1301 Allen avenue.
Open Door Settlement, 1503 Hobart street.
Curby Memorial Church, Texas and Utah avenues.
Italian Station, 1011 Wash street.

Dorothy Craig, Willie Egbert and Helene Higgins...
The Bella...
Healdon Doyon, Ben Fay, Blaine McGilway, Mary Shelton, Russell Buhrman, Walter Smith, Lorraine Irwin, Roy Bernius and Virginia Egbert...
Turkey Trot...
Grand Finale—Entire company

So unflinchingly capable was the work of all the children taking part in the performance that it would be unfair to single out any of the little stars for special mention, all sharing finely in the great success of the night. The costumes were uncommonly attractive and the scenic setting was pleasing far out of the ordinary.

The thanks of the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund are heartily extended to the Walter Craig Minstrels, to Mrs. F. E. Craig, under whose general management the production was made; to Mr. F. E. Craig, who assisted effectively; to Mrs. Letitia Palmer Cirode, who trained the children in all the dancing numbers, to the management of the Mikado Theater, who generously donated the use of that pretty playhouse for the occasion, and to all others who co-operated for the success of the entertainment.

And now, tomorrow evening, on the lawn of the residence of Dr. Robert E. Wilson, 4259 Lindell boulevard, another beautiful entertainment will be given by children for the benefit of the Pure Milk Fund to save the tenement babies.

This entertainment will comprise a pretty play entitled "The Awakening of Nature," written by little Misses Ella Wilson and Helen Murphy, and a dialogue entitled "Mrs. O'Flynn's Moving Day," in which the Post-Dispatch Weather Bird will appear in fine feather as one of the characters of its interesting story.

The children taking part in this benefit performance are Helen Murphy, William Murphy, Carolyn Cooke, Alfred Schuster, Gertrude Achteman, Collin Selph Jr., Robert E. Wilson Jr., Ella Marie Wilson, Gertrude Baird, Janet Scott, Catherine Murphy, Eliza-

beth Thomas, Janet Epstein, Harriet Thomas, Jessie Stone, Marion Epstein, Mary Francis Murphy, Noel Baird, Pearl Stone and Marie Kehoe.

Full details of this entertainment, with casts of the two plays to be presented, will be given in tomorrow's Post-Dispatch. The performance will begin at 8 p. m., and promises to be one of the most attractive of the season.

Help these children in their good work for the rescuing of the little ones of the poor.
Save the babies!

THE IDEAL WEDDING GIFT—A fine diamond. You will never miss the money if you purchase on credit. See our splendid stock. Lottis Bros. & Co., 212 National Credit Bldg., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st. Open evenings.

Auto Kills Sleeping Baby.
CHICAGO, June 11.—An electric automobile driven by Mrs. Beatie Paulman became unmanageable last night, ran upon a sidewalk and killed a baby

sleeping in a baby carriage in front of its home. Mrs. Paulman, wife of a wealthy automobile dealer, was taken into custody charged with assault with a deadly weapon.

Busy Bee Candy Bargains Friday.
Choc. Molasses Chips, Jhoc. Creams, Pecan Marshmallow Jumbles, 25c lb.

MAN HELD FOR STABBING CONTRADICTS ACCUSERS

Teamster Denies He Cut Companion With Whom He Was Drinking Beer.

Theodore Freebryser, a teamster, of 1307 Farragut street, identified by two witnesses as the man who fatally stabbed Joseph Telken, an ice wagon driver of 422 North Twenty-first street, in the rear of Byron Cade's saloon, 423 North Twentieth street, late Wednesday

afternoon, persists in his denial that he did the stabbing.

Freebryser, Telken and several others were drinking beer in a yard back of the saloon. George Meyer of 2108 Bissell street and Louis Alberda of 4221 Blair avenue, held as witnesses by the police, say they are positive they saw Freebryser cut Telken in the abdomen. Freebryser says he and Telken were sitting on a bench in the yard and three other men were tossing beer bottle covers at each other in play. Telken, he says, got up and walked through the saloon.

Meyer and Alberda say they saw Freebryser and Telken scuffling and saw Freebryser raise a knife and plunge it into Telken's abdomen.

After the stabbing Telken ran to a drug store. At the city hospital he died an hour later without telling who stabbed him.

One Minute Toothache Stick
Stops toothache quick. All druggists, 10c.

GIBSON IS PROMOTED

Appointed Real Estate Officer of Mercantile Trust Co.

John W. Gibson has been appointed to succeed R. King Kauffman, as real estate officer of the Mercantile Trust Co. Kauffman resigned a month ago to become vice-president of a restaurant company with headquarters in Chicago. The office temporarily has been filled by vice-president Bernard Brennan.

As sales manager of the department, Gibson was his predecessor's assistant. Gibson has been an active member of the realty fraternity for 30 years or more. John Mullin has been made advertising manager of the department, while Elmer Dearmin has been promoted to a position in the sales department.

Practical Prescription Against Stomach Acidity

Nine-tenths of all cases of stomach trouble nowadays are caused by too much acid. In the beginning the stomach acid is not diseased, but if this acid condition is allowed to continue, the stomach is very likely to eat into the stomach walls and produce stomach ulcers, which may render a radical surgical operation necessary even to prolong life. Therefore, an "acid stomach" is really a dangerous condition and should be treated seriously. It is utterly useless to treat stomach and ordinary stomach acidity with the excess acid or stomach hyperacidity. The excess acid or stomach hyperacidity is neutralized by the administration of an efficient antacid. For this purpose the best remedy is Magnesia (taken in teaspoonful doses) a fourth of a glass of water after each meal. Larger quantities may be used if necessary, as it is absolutely harmless. Be sure to ask for the bisphosphate magnesia, as other forms of magnesia have an effective mouth wash, but they have not the same action on the stomach as the bisphosphate. You can get Bisphosphate Magnesia at Volpe, Judge & Dolph Drug Co. or Johnson Bros.—ADV.

August Prices on Madras Underwear

THIS establishment launches a vast special sale of finest Summer Underwear today, in which are included finest Madras and exquisite Silk-Mixed Fabrics, Union Suits and Two-Piece Garments. We declare that we can save you almost 1/2 the usual cost. NO VALUES SUCH AS THESE CAN BE OBTAINED IN ANY STORE, and we make this positive statement, knowing that we can demonstrate its truth. This event compels attention of gentlemen who desire the finest merchandise at a low price.

Athletic Shirts and Knee Drawers

Best 50c Qualities for..... 39 cents
Best \$1.00 Qualities for..... 59 cents
Best \$1.50 Qualities for..... 95 cents
Best \$2.00 Qualities for..... \$1.20

Athletic Madras and Silk-Mixed Union Suits

Best \$1.50 Quality for..... 95 cents
Best \$2.00 Quality for..... \$1.20
Best \$2.50 Quality for..... \$1.50
Best \$3.00 Quality for..... \$2.20

SAVE MONEY ON FINEST PAJAMAS

A timely sale of Pajamas in all the Summer materials in Madras and Silk-Mixed Fabrics.

\$2.00 Pajamas for the Unusual Price of..... \$1.45
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\$3.00 Pajamas for the Unusual Price of..... \$1.85
\$3.50 Pajamas for the Unusual Price of..... \$2.35
\$4.00 Pajamas for the Unusual Price of..... \$2.65

Special Sale White Millinery Friday

Century Millinery Co.
615 N. Broadway

White Chips and Hemp . 98c
Small White Wings . 39c
White Flowers 25c

Everything new in White Hats and Trimmings of all kinds.

We Are Headquarters for Panamas



White Shoes and Colonials

A large assortment of styles and patterns in lasts that are just right.

Hanan & Son
Sixteen Olive

Look for the Signature

Merchants warn their customers to beware of imitations and watch for the trade mark which distinguishes the genuine article.

Your old friends—the prankish Hans and Fritz, the bewildered Heinie und der long-suffering Captain—have a trade mark by which you may tell them from imitations.

This trade mark is the signature of their creator, Rudolph Dirks, originator of the Katzenjammer Kids, who now draws exclusively for the Funnyside of the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

None Genuine Without the Signature

(R. DIRKS)

Garland's ROUSING VACATION SALE OF CHILDREN'S DRESSES

(6 to 14 Years)

Just in time for vacation outings, and so inexpensive that every mother with girls 6 to 14 should manage to get down and lay in a season's supply. They'll be equally good for the first few weeks of school next Fall.

Actual Values, \$1.00, \$2.50,
and Every One Brand New
Choice Friday in 3 Lots

25c, 75c and 95c



There Are About 40 Styles

Open front Coat Dresses, straight line and sailor effects, with deep tailored girdles and laced with mercedized laces; pleated skirt and waist line models, trimmed to one side with tailored straps, piping, pearl buttons, etc. Some have ruffled collars and cuffs.

Materials are Simpson's percales, linens, chambray, flowered voiles, gingham, in plaids, checks, stripes, figures, dots and solid colors.

1500 Dresses altogether, about an equal number at each price,
25c, 75c and 95c

Sale on Second Floor.

THOMAS W. GARLAND 409-411-413 N. Broadway

TOWN'S LIGHT RARE BIRD

Oklahoma Normal
Fine Collection
Killed by

ALVA, Ok., June 10.—A wild bird took flight against the electric light derment. It is said birds were killed, found in the street, the lawn. The ground on the public square most numerous.

Many of the birds this section and it were migrating, the season. The ground on the public square most numerous.

George W. Stevens of zoology, said.

"Some of the birds picked up 160 dead were noted these headed blackbird, timore oriole, orch pipit, semipalmated blue grobeak, blue sora (Carolina) blue Savannah sparrow, Baird's sparrow, clay-colored sparrow, Nolen's sparrow, lowthroat, Tennessee Grinnell's water black-poll warbler, they looked further doubly would be.

"The number of this spring seems usual, doubtless the shrubs are bigger abundant. The birds in Alva, this season, destroy no of injurious insects.

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LAMBERT TO VISIT 'J. C. R.' TO IDENTIFY EARL LIES

Ex-Mayor to Go to Chicago and Will Visit Man of Mystery Whom Mother Recognized.

A group photograph of Earl W. Lee and several East St. Louis friends is expected to aid in confirming the identification of the man of mystery known as "J. C. R." who has been claimed by Mrs. H. E. Pitkin of Chicago as her son by a former marriage.

Lee roomed for six years prior to 1905 at the home of Mrs. Malissa Van Houten, 535 North Ninth street, East St. Louis. While he was there he sold mining stock to acquaintances and fellow employees at the stockyards. He left East St. Louis, saying he was going to Chicago and from there to Goldfield, Nev. John Van Houten, son of Mrs. Van Houten, was to have accompanied him.

He was to write from Chicago, naming a meeting place. He was never heard from. It now develops that he lost his memory and is the "J. C. R." with the mystery of whose identity the Chicago police long grappled in vain.

Former Mayor Lambert of East St. Louis, who knew Lee well, is going to Chicago within two weeks, and will call on the man to satisfy himself whether he is Lee.

Man, Aged 71, Sentenced to Die. DALTON, Ga., June 11.—W. T. Umphrey, a 71-year-old Confederate veteran, yesterday for the second time within a few months received a death sentence for the murder of Joseph Pritchett, a neighboring farmer. Umphrey, who has refused food for several days, was so weak he hardly could stand.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives public news gathered by the Associated Press.

YALE STUDENTS' EFFECTS SWAMP PARCEL POST

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 11.—Yale students departing for home with the close yesterday of the year-end examinations, have been making liberal use of the parcel post to send away their personal effects and have almost swamped the Yale post office with dress suit cases and boxes.

During the spring there was increasing business done in the parcel post section when students found they could send home their "wash" and get it returned at a saving over what they would have to pay for laundry bills here. They quickly found out that they could get their clothing, books and small room furnishings carried home by Uncle Sam for less than it would cost to ship by express.

SENATORS DELAY FINAL TOLLS VOTE BY LONG SPEECHES

Defeat of Amendment Proposed by Repeal Opponents Shows Administration's Strength.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Voting on further amendments to the repeal of the Panama Canal tolls exemption halted in the Senate today while Senator Brandegee, Republican, made a long speech in favor of the bill.

By a vote of 50 to 36, on the first amendment offered today by the anti-repeal forces, it was apparent that the repeal forces had no strength over night. The vote was on an amendment by Senator Works (Rep.), who sought to change the language reserving American rights to tolls exemption. Ten Democrats voted for the amendment and 13 Republicans voted against it.

The last stage of the most spectacular legislative fight Congress has been in since the Democratic party came to power, attracted hundreds to the Capitol and, despite the wilting heat, the Senate galleries were packed. Members of the House crowded upon the floor. Senators of the opposition, both Republicans and Democrats, were making no apparent effort to delay a vote, but many had various qualifying resolutions prepared upon which they intended to force record roll calls.

Senator Root returned to his seat today in the final hour of the final vote. Yesterday in the voting on the compromise amendment was the subject of remark, but the Democratic leaders who have openly acknowledged the influence of the Republican Senator in his stand for granting the President's request, had declared he would be present today.

Senator Lodge, another Republican supporting the Democratic position, was also in his seat awaiting the final vote. Leaders of the repeal forces renewed their predictions that the bill would pass with a safe majority. Senator Simmons estimated it would carry by 10 votes. In support of the compromise supporters of the bill pointed to the passage by a large majority of the Simmons-Norris amendment, designed to preserve any right the United States possesses under the Hay-Pauncefote treaty with Great Britain to exempt American ships from the payment of tolls, and the defeat of other amendments.

President Wilson will sign the bill as amended, but he would prefer it without the amendments. He willingness to endorse the amended measure is because he believes half a loaf is better than no bread. He does not consider that Congress is giving him what he asked in the "full measure" he desired.

There was no real test of strength in the voting last night, when the repeal forces, by a vote of 50 to 24, passed the Simmons-Norris amendment. Both sides had conceded that this amendment would carry, but it had been the subject of attack for many hours.

Two attempts to change the language of the amendment were defeated, but neither vote was so decisive as that on the Simmons amendment. One modifying amendment by Senator Sutherland was beaten 49 to 33, and another proposed by Senator Cummins was beaten 49 to 37.

Of the 50 Senators who voted for the Simmons amendment, 26 were Democrats, 12 Republicans and one, Senator Poindexter, Progressive. Nine Democrats and 15 Republicans voted against the amendment.

There were several expressions during the debate yesterday of a desire to submit the dispute with Great Britain to arbitration after the repeal bill is passed. It has been currently reported in the Senate for several days that an arbitration resolution will be pressed after the passage of the bill. Senator Sutherland's arbitration amendment already has received the approval of the Foreign Relations Committee, and Senator Norris is expected to renew his proposal of the same sort.

How the Senators Voted. A serious attempt to put through an arbitration resolution, however, may be opposed by Democratic leaders who are anxious to take up pending anti-trust legislation as soon as possible.

Although the debate grew warm at times, there was an absence of campaign oratory. The first cry came when the Senate was not looking for it, and found 21 Senators absent from the chamber or out of town. A noticeable absence was that of Senator Root, acknowledged leader of the Republican Senators, who left before the debate.

The vote of the Simmons-Norris amendment was:

Ayes: Democrats—Bankhead, Bryan, Chilton, Culberson, Fletcher, Hitchcock, Hollis, Hughes, James, Johnson, Kern, Lane, Lea, Lee, Lewis, Martin, Myers, Newlands, Overman, Owen, Pittman, Saulsbury, Shafroth, Sheppard, Shively, Simmons, Smith (Arizona), Smith (Georgia), Smith (Maryland), Smith (South Carolina), Stone, Swanson, Thomas, Thompson, West, White—28. Republicans—Brandegee, Colt, Crawford, Graham, Kenyon, Lippitt, Lodge, McComber, McLean, Nelson, Norris, Sterling, Weeks—13. Progressives—Poindexter.

Nays: Democrats—Ashurst, Martin, O'Gorman, Pomeroy, Randall, Reed, Shelden, Walsh, Williams—4. Republicans—Bristow, Burleigh, Clark (Wyoming), Cummins, Gallinger, Goff, Jones, Page, Perkins, Smith (Michigan), Smoot, Sutherland, Townsend, Warren, Works—15.

The amendment as adopted reads as follows:

"Provided, That the passage of this act shall not be construed or held as a waiver, or relinquishment, of any right the United States may have under the treaty with Great Britain, ratified the 21st of February, 1904, or the treaty with the Republic of Panama, ratified Feb. 23, 1904, or otherwise, to discriminate in favor of its vessels by exempting the vessels of the United States or its citizens from the payment of tolls for passage through said canal, or as in any way waiving, impairing or affecting any right of the United States under said treaty or otherwise with the re-

CLUB WOMEN GO ON RECORD FOR REFORM IN DRESS

Resolutions for Modest Styles Adopted at General Federation Convention.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 11.—The women attending the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs here, went on record for dress reform.

About 3000 women were present. Many of them took part in the discussion. Mrs. Mary L. Wood of New Hampshire, chairman of the Bureau of Information, introduced the subject to a committee. She read a set of resolutions which she said had been endorsed by 400,000 club women throughout the country.

The resolutions were adopted almost by acclamation. They call attention to the fashions of today as immodest, uncomfortable, unattractive. They ask for simpler, more becoming, more comfortable and more modest clothes, and encourage American designers and manufacturers to take from the men of Paris the fixing of American fashions. The resolutions will be presented to the Committee on Resolutions. A shorter resolution was adopted, asking for a committee to confer with the American manufacturers and designers to bring about, if possible, American-made fashions for American women.

There was some objection to the resolutions, but the "noes" were scattered throughout the auditorium. Some of the women who voted against the resolutions were against only certain parts of them.

"What do we dress so badly if we wish to do big things?" said Mrs. Wood in opening the conference.

"Why are we such slaves to fashion?" The women to whom she spoke were nearly all dressed in white and summer silks. Only a few, and these among the younger, wore the gowns and blouses which Mrs. Wood says "cover but do not conceal."

Mrs. Burdette said that clothes did not always make the woman, but that they indicated what she was morally. "Dress and morals are not new subjects," said she. "They are as old as the Garden of Eden, when the lack of one made the other necessary. By dress I do not mean merely the outer covering, the gown and by morals I do not mean merely chastity or unchastity, but the desire and the courage to live every day the life according to your ethical and moral ideals."

"What a woman wears and the way she wears it, so is she. Clothes are the expression in the outward life of what is in the inward life."

"I would not say, however, that every woman who wears an immoral gown is immoral. There are many who do not know or do not care that the world is judging them by the clothes they wear. French dresses are not conceived and not designed for the good woman. Frenchmen say that the good women do not spend enough for clothes."

"The hobble skirt is the extreme and last effort of the French designers to play to the French silk manufacturers. They know that the less cloth that is used the better the cloth will be. As a result of the hobble skirt and a lack of proper underclothing, 10,000 looms in Germany alone were stopped in one year. How do you suppose our Southern cotton growers felt when the tube skirt came in?"

"Because of their desire to dress according to the fashion, women are breaking up homes and ruining their lives."

"In New York alone statistics show that one-third of the married income goes for rent and one-third for the wife's wardrobe."

The speaker, clad in simple white, asserted that American women are clothes mad.

"Throughout Europe," she continued, "the women of high nobility and social position are like wrens compared with the cockatoos of the half-world. It is an unpleasant thought that it is the latter who set the standard which our fashionable women follow with naive avidity."

Mrs. Burdette said women should determine for themselves what style of dress most becomes them, and then stick to that style.

Previously in her address the speaker said:

"Miss Grace Hutchins, costume designer of Columbia University, says the morals of a woman are read in her gowns and that slovenly dress indicates her mental traits; that the woman who is addicted to extreme styles is sure to be an extremist in everything else. But she adds that what she does not believe every woman who wears immoral clothes is necessarily immoral. She rather believes that a large per cent of them recklessly and relentlessly follow prevailing fashions without knowing why."

A woman from Minnesota said the Minnesota club women had placed a standard of two yards' minimum on skirts.

Buy Bee Candy Bargain Friday. Choc. Molasses Chips, Choc. Creams, Pecan Marshmallow Jumbles, 3c lb.

FORD SUE FOR \$5 WAGE

DETROIT, Mich., June 11.—Two foreign employees of the Ford Motor Co., Teo Vetroks and Joseph Savik, today filed a suit against the company for failure to pay them \$5 a day wages. The company answers that it did not promise \$5 a day wage indiscriminately, but only to the men who lived up to certain conditions. The present litigants did not follow the rules necessary to get share of the profit.

spect to the sovereignty over or the ownership, control and management of said canal and the regulation of the condition or charges of traffic through the same."

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St. Louis Union Trust Co., 5th & Locust.

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509 Washington Av., Near Broadway

A Sale of Summer Dresses



Two of the Dresses at \$8.95

Values Up to \$22.50 at \$8.95

A TRULY remarkable sale of beautiful Dresses made of splendid quality Summer Silks—the light-weight pussy willow, flowered crepes, crepe poplins, crepe meteors and washable voiles, in an immense variety of the most desired styles. The Silk Dresses are all daintily trimmed with lace, and are the sheer, soft, clinging kind so much in demand—all colors are represented—the washable voiles are mostly white, with girdles of silk ribbon in various colors—a few are daintily embroidered. It is a very desirable collection of splendid Summer Dresses—values ranging up to \$22.50 on sale Friday at \$8.95.

Stunning Summer Dresses

\$3.98 and up to \$5.95 values

at \$1.98 and \$3.98

CHARMING Dresses of voiles, dimities, lawns and chambrays—white and colors—also beautiful flowered materials. All new and fresh, just received from the manufacturers, who are making inexpensive copies of some of the most favored models. An immense variety and extraordinary values in each group at \$1.98 and \$3.98.

\$2.95 and \$3.95 Blouses, \$1.95

MORE of those beautiful Blouses will go on sale Friday—the most effective models in beautiful crepe de chine, white habutai silks and flowered silks, also splendid lingerie materials—embracing the newest collar and sleeve ideas—splendid \$2.95 and \$3.95 values—on sale at \$1.95

Blouses Special, \$1.50

ODD lots of fancy voile and Washable Crepe Blouses are offered at a very special price. The voiles are effectively trimmed with lace and embroidery—the Crepe Blouses have embroidered collars, finished with ribbons—long and three-quarter sleeves. Just a special lot for Friday selling, at \$1.50

Sale of Middies, 95c

JAPANESE and Chinese Middies—all have the new emblem—come in white and Copenhagen, piped in red and blue—on special sale 95c



Skirt Cost, \$5.00.

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"Specials" in Our Millinery Section

\$5 Trimmed Hats, \$3

JUST 50 new Trimmed Hats—the usual \$5 Kline value—including the new white Summer styles—satin-trimmed Hats, Wing-trimmed Hats, etc. These Hats are well worth \$5, but as a special for Friday, we are offering this limited number at the above low price. Come in the morning, as they are sure to sell out early. Choice \$3

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, 49c

WE have on hand 500 Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats that must be disposed of at once to make room for the new white Summer Millinery; for that reason we are offering them at what might be called a give-away price. There are plenty of blacks, whites and browns, with some colors—the Shapes are \$1.00 to \$2.50 values—the Trimmed Hats up to \$5 values—choice Friday, while they last, 49c.

New White Hemp Shapes, \$1 and \$1.50

THESE Hats are in great demand—are becoming even more popular than the black. The Sailor Shapes are very chic, trimmed in all values—on special sale Friday at \$1 and \$1.50.

New Panama and South African Straws are daily arriving—all the new shapes, including many of the small models so much in vogue. Priced Friday at \$1.95 and up.

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Announce for Friday a Very Important Sale of Exclusive Blouses

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The sale will begin Friday morning at 8:30

A Sale of Wash Skirts at \$3, \$4 and \$5

Unusual values in smartly tailored Skirts of high-grade materials are provided at these very popular prices. You may choose from the popular hard woven ratines, novelty and plain cotton crepes, firm linens and twine cloths. The styles are distinctive and embrace various tunic effects as well as plain models. There are all size waistbands up to 34 in.

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For Friday & Saturday

Both vacationists and stay-at-homes will be interested in these timely specials. The High White Shoes are all this season's newest styles, and the size range is complete.

\$7.50, \$8 & \$8.50 White Shoes \$4.95

High Shoes, made of white buckskin and white canvas, in both button and lace models—very highest quality. Special price applies Friday and Saturday only.

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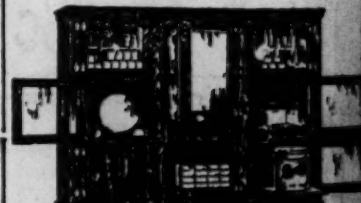
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Honors for School Year Are Announced at Closing Exercises on Campus.

Frederick W. Lehmann and Ben Blewett were awarded honorary degrees of LL.D. by Washington University, at the annual commencement exercises held Thursday morning before a large crowd on the main university campus. The degrees were bestowed by Frederic A. Hall, the acting chancellor, who explained why Lehmann and Blewett were selected for the university's greatest honors this year.

Lehmann, he said, was chosen because he is a distinguished public speaker and interpreter of the law, and because President Wilson had recently recognized his ability by appointing him with Justice Lamar as one of the United States delegates to the mediation conference with Mexico at Niagara Falls, Ont. He was Solicitor-General of the United States under President Taft and resides at 10 Benton place.

Blewett was chosen because of his distinguished service as an educator. He is superintendent of instruction of the St. Louis public schools and resides at 3405 Hawthorne place. Blewett attended the commencement exercises and personally received the degrees.

Lehmann's honor, for the first time in the history of the university, was delivered "absentia."

Previous to the exercises in the big tent to the rear of the main building, 500 students and graduates marched about the quadrangle in an academic parade.

Besides the conferring of degrees to graduates, 4 postgraduate students received their certificates.

Honors conferred in the various departments were as follows: Law—Thesis medal, John S. Lionberger; alumni prize, Ira J. Underwood.

Medical—George F. Gill and Powell F. McAlley, prizes in anatomy; George F. Gill and Ellsworth U. Moody, medals for proficiency in pediatrics.

Final Honors to Seniors.

Final honors to the seniors in the Department of Arts and Sciences were won by Paul W. Baker, Claire A. Berry, Neal C. Davis, Helen M. Donnelly, Benjamin F. Goldstein, Frederick R. Griffith, Elmer F. W. Niemöller, Walter S. Legerist, Minor W. Stout, Mary H. West, Sam F. Trelease and Edward S. Winfree.

Final honors in the dental department were awarded to John F. Baber, Robert W. Caplin, Maurice H. Caplin, Charles F. Elder, Ira F. Maupin, De Wilton H. Miletad, Sam J. Rhode and Henry F. Westhoff.

The Rev. Dr. W. C. Bittling, pastor of the Second Baptist Church delivered the Washington University graduating address. His topic was "Education and Daily Life."

Degrees were awarded to about 150 graduates from the department of arts and sciences, and the medical, dental and law schools of the university.

Twenty-four young women who received A. B. degrees were Jessica May Young, Mrs. Ben Kennedy, Marguerite Gertrude Monteath, Mary Emily MacDonald, Dorothy Grace Calman, Mary Herold West, Helen Mary Donnelly, Claudia Clayton Lide, Claire Agnes Jeffry, Hortense Deborah Bowles, Anna Hamilton Chandler, Mildred Claire De Courcy, Helen Elizabeth Duffett, Hazel Lee Forsythe, Bine May Hawkins, Olive Lillian McClevey, Ruth Carol Mobley, Lucy Coe Newton, Ada Nicholson, Ruth Calhoun Fitch, Elizabeth Bonanney, Florence Julia Siler, Anna Holme Souther and Elsie Ueberle.

Women who received the A. M. degree were: Christine Graham Long, A. B. Smith College; Hazel Dorothy Owens, A. B. Washington University; History and English—Daisy Souder, A. B. University of Kansas; Social Economy—Mary Alexander, B. S. Smith College; Ruth Crawford, A. B. Vassar College; Caroline Morell, A. B. University of Missouri; and Mary Opal Zimmerman, B. S., University of Missouri.

FALSELY ACCUSES MAN, COAL MINER IS FINED

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., June 11.—The trial of A. V. Rutland, coal miner of this city, on the charge of conspiracy to cause another to be charged with a crime for the purpose of extorting money, ended today when the jury returned a verdict against the defendant and assessed a fine of \$500. This was a compromise verdict, as some of the jury favored as high as \$1000 fine and six months in jail.

Rutland was charged with instigating the bringing of suit in the name of Mrs. Callie Fields and her husband, Robert Fields, against Dr. H. S. Williams, a physician of Crofton, charging Dr. Williams with making indecent proposals to Mrs. Fields while the latter was in his office.

STILLMAN P. TAFT DIES

Stillman P. Taft of 3333 Cleveland avenue, assistant superintendent of the St. Louis division of the Railway Mail Service, which includes Missouri and Kansas, died Wednesday in Park City, Utah, of bronchial trouble. He was 41 years of age because of ill health. Taft was superintendent of the district from 1899 until June 1912, when he became assistant superintendent. He entered the railway mail service in 1873 as a weigher. He came to St. Louis in 1880. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, Mrs. Samuel Rockwell.

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MEN'S 3.50 ALL-WOOL BLUE SERGE PANTS, 1.95
Boys' 55 All-Wool Blue Serge 2.89
Norfolk Suits 2.89
Boys' 1.50 All-Wool Blue Serge Knicker Pants .89c
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\$4 MEN'S ALL-SILK SHIRTS, 1.85

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Actually Worth 10c each; Fancy, each, 5c
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TRICLY FRESH... lb., 6 1/2c
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PERKINS ASSAILED AS TRUSTS' FRIEND BY AMOS PINCHOT

Progressive Leader Denounced
as Foe to Union Labor and to
the Sherman Law.

By Leased Wire From the New York
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 11.—That George W. Perkins has made Col. Roosevelt's Progressive party a vehicle for self-aggrandizement and the promulgation of personal views on the trust question directly at variance with the stated beliefs of the party as a whole, is the charge made by Amos Pinchot in demanding that Perkins relinquish his leadership in the party and resign as chairman of its national executive committee.

Because, he said, of the "garbled versions and extracts" that have been published, Pinchot has made public the letter he sent on May 23 to Chairman Joseph M. Dixon and all the members of the Progressive National Committee. The letter contains about 500 words and it is devoted in its entirety to George W. Perkins and his activities in the party.

Pinchot, before he wrote the letter, took up with Roosevelt the matter of Perkins' activities and suggested Perkins' elimination. Col. Roosevelt defended Perkins and Pinchot found that he and the Colonel were as far apart as the poles on the subject. Pinchot's object in writing the letter is indicated in a paragraph which follows the enumeration of the activities of Perkins in using the party to attack the Sherman anti-trust law and for similar purposes.

"In spite of anything Mr. Perkins may

say, and in spite of the Steel Corporation's extensive whitewashing campaign, carried on in newspapers and magazines which it owns or influences, America's industrial monopolies are cordially hated by the general public. The letter reads: "No person that stands for the perpetuation of these monopolies can reasonably hope for the public support. No party ought to succeed which is not willing to take the public's side in the fight against monopoly exploitation."

Pinchot begins his communication with the statement that a situation exists in the party which must be terminated before the Progressives can command general popular support. The situation, he says, that Perkins "favors the protection of private monopoly in American industry, and, since the party's formation, has been taking active steps to commit the party to that policy," and that Perkins "is actively opposed to the recognition of labor's right to organize and deal with capital through labor unions."

"Our party," says Pinchot, "is therefore subject to the charge that it is lukewarm or even antagonistic to the interests of organized wage earners." After asserting that the party has gone on record as opposing the view held by Perkins, Pinchot says the fact that Perkins is an active member of the Steel and Harvester Trusts, "two great monopolies which have succeeded most completely in exploiting the public and crushing organized labor," has led to confusion in the public mind.

Party Paper Misused, He Says. Then Pinchot says that through the official publication of the Progressive party, the Bulletin, Perkins has conducted an extensive pro-trust propaganda calculated to convince the public and the party that the trusts are useful institutions, and that those that attack them are bent on the destruction of all healthy industry on a large scale. Continuing, he enumerates the Perkins' transgressions through the Bulletin.

"It has been consistently, and I think unwisely used as Mr. Perkins' personal organ," said Pinchot, "to defend trusts, to attack the Sherman law, and to glorify the two great monopolies of

which Mr. Perkins is respectively a director and a member of the finance or governing committee."

Of one article in the Bulletin, Pinchot says: "It admittedly leads the reader to suppose that the Progressive party is hostile to the Sherman law, and that its only policy toward the trusts is one of protection and control."

The Harvester Trust was lavishly praised by the Progressive organ. So was the Standard Oil Co. in the July number of last year. In an article asserting that the State of Missouri was "busted" the Standard Oil Co. and now wanted it to come back into the State as a regulated monopoly.

Assaults the Steel Trust. Pinchot assaults the Steel Trust, showing that despite the theory of "brotherhood brought down to the pay envelope," which Mr. Perkins inducted, the Steel Corporation paid dividends as high as 104 per cent on the capital stock of its supply stores.

If the situation is not remedied, says Pinchot, either the Progressive party will divide and die for lack of support, or it will become a part of the Republican party, "the organization we have recently denounced so bitterly."

At his home in Riverside, Perkins at first refused to discuss the Pinchot letter, saying he had not read it thoroughly, though he intended to do so immediately. When asked if he would resign, he said: "Oh, there's nothing to that."

He finally made this statement: "I do not question Mr. Pinchot's sincerity of purpose, but we differ radically on some important questions that are before the country for solution."

School Patrons to Meet.

The Chouteau School Patrons' Association and Mothers' Club will meet at the school, Ewing avenue and Rutgers street, Thursday evening, to arrange a Fourth of July celebration.

FOR WEDDING AND GRADUATION PRESENTS—Splendid line of solid gold and diamond-set jewelry, watches, silverware, novelties, etc. Lofis Bros. & Co., The National Credit Jewelers, 25 N. 5th.

PLAN PROPOSED TO IMPROVE THE CLAYTON ROAD

Association of Property Owners
Asks County Court to Turn
Five Miles Over to Them.

DAILY REPAIRS PLANNED

Court is Asked to Allow \$3.50 a
Day Toward the Salary to
Be Paid to Road Men.

The Clayton Neighborhood Association, comprised of property owners residing along the Clayton road, has submitted to the members of the County Court of St. Louis a plan to improve the Clayton road from the city limits west to the Denny road, a distance of five miles.

M. W. Wallace, president of the association, appeared before the County Court Wednesday and asked that the five-mile stretch be turned over to the association so its members could improve and keep it in repair.

It is the plan of the association to employ two competent road builders to go over the road daily and make repairs. The Court was asked to allow \$3.50 per day toward the salary to be paid to the men employed on the road.

Patrol System Proposed. The Clayton road is in bad condition owing to the fact that the Road Overseer in the Clayton district has no much territory to cover.

William Elbing, highway engineer of St. Louis County, in his annual report, made recently, suggested to the County Court that the patrol system be used on the county roads. He pointed out that by the adoption of that system the roads could be kept in better condition and a large amount of money saved.

The patrol system provides for the employment of a man to go over a certain piece of road every day and make repairs immediately. At present there are 48 road overseers in the county and they have 1100 miles of road to look after.

The plan offered by the Clayton Neighborhood Association is the same as that suggested to the Court by Elbing.

\$500 a Mile for Repairs. Elbing stated that all the main roads in the county, beginning at the city limits and running west for five miles, should be patrolled every day. He said about \$500 per mile for the first five miles was expended every year for repairs on these roads, and that they were not in good condition because the proper attention could not be given to them, owing to the large territory the road overseers were required to cover.

William Buerman, Associate Judge of the County Court, expressed his favor of the plan proposed by the association and said the matter would be passed upon in a few days.

MAN SLUGGED, HIS WATCH
FOUND ON "TONY" FOLEY

Erstwhile Gang Leader, Banished From Police District, Is
Discovered Tending Bar.

"Tony" Foley, erstwhile leader of the "Bottoms Gang," who a little more than a year ago was banished by the police from the Laclede Avenue District following a gang murder in a saloon of which he was manager and bartender, was found tending bar in a saloon at Twelfth and Pine streets, in front of which a man was slugged and robbed of his watch Wednesday night. Foley had the watch when policemen arrived to investigate.

Charles Schumacher, a tailor, living at 1422 Hickory street, told the police he stopped in front of Joseph Royce's saloon, 30 North Fourth street, about 11:30 p. m., when he saw a crowd surrounding a woman who was trying to induce her male companion to go home.

As he mingled with the crowd, Schumacher said, he was hit upon by several men, who beat and kicked him. When he recovered his gold watch was missing. His eyes were discolored and swollen when he reported the robbery to the police. When a patrolman went to the saloon to inquire about the robbery, "Tony" Foley handed him Schumacher's watch. He said it had been turned over to him by two strangers who said they had found it on the sidewalk.

Chief of Central District forwarded a report to the Executive Commissioner with the recommendation that Royce's license be forfeited.

OFFICERS THREATEN TO
IGNORE DANIELS ORDER

One at Philadelphia Yards Says
85 Per Cent of Them Will Not
Obey Anti-Liquor Rule.

PHILADELPHIA, June 11.—The order of Secretary Daniels abolishing intoxicating liquors from warships and navy yards is expected at the Philadelphia navy yard within the next few days. What will happen when it comes is a question of serious conjecture.

Some of the officers declared that it would not be taken seriously. "If the order is not rescinded," one of them said, "it is likely that 85 per cent of the officers will face a board of court-martial, because I have heard that it will not be taken seriously by either officers or men and will not be obeyed. The abolition of liquor has made the navy the laughing stock of the world. I know as a positive fact that if the order goes into effect some officers will resign from the service."

Woman Addresses Graduates. CHICAGO, Ill., June 11.—The principal address at the commencement of Northwestern University was given yesterday by a woman, Miss Eliza May Huntington, who received a bachelor's degree. It was Northwestern's fifty-sixth commencement, the first one with a woman speaker. Seven hundred and fifteen students including 200 women were graduated.

WE GIVE EAGLE STAMPS

A REMARKABLE SALE OF WOMEN'S
\$3 WHITE FOOTWEAR



\$2.19

YOUR CHOICE
Colonials,
"Mary Janes,"
Button Oxfords,
Rubber Sole Oxfords,
Button or Lace Boots

This will be another great white season—prepare now for Summer outings. All made of best white canvas material; your choice of Colonials and Oxfords with either leather or wooden heels, the broad toe, flat heel "Mary Jane," rubber-sole lace Oxfords and button or lace boots with either low or Cuban leather heels. All sizes and widths—\$2.50 and \$3.00 values for.....\$2.19

Women's Pumps & Oxfords
\$2.50, \$3.00, & \$3.50 Values

There still remain from our great Wednesday Dollar Sale 500 pairs of WHITE CANVAS TWO-STRAP PUMPS AND BOOTS, PATENT AND GUNMETAL PUMPS IN COLONIAL, TWO STRAP OR PLAIN STYLE AND GUNMETAL OR PATENT BUTTON OR LACE OXFORDS, in a good assortment of sizes from 2½ to 8, which we will clean up tomorrow at the ridiculous price of.....\$1

Great Sale "Mary Jane" Pumps
For Children

White Canvas, Patent or Gunmetal
Here's an opportunity to supply the vacation wants at considerable saving. Your choice of these \$1.75 to \$2.00 values, in all sizes from 8½ to 2; Friday and Saturday only, at



\$1.39

Bathing Shoes
For women—choice of nine high or low cut styles, in black, blue, white, red or striped effects—75c values.....49c

Tennis Oxfords
Black canvas uppers—genuine elk soles, with cushion inner soles—all sizes for men, women and children—Friday and Saturday only.....49c

WE GIVE EAGLE STAMPS

1000 Brand-New
WASH SKIRTS

Just Arrived
Embracing all of the smartest and latest models. We place on sale in three groups Friday regular \$2.50 to \$5.00 Wash Skirts—

\$1.35 \$1.98 \$2.95

Made of the newest and best materials, fancy cross-bar, snowflake ratine, Cosack linens or piques. Distinctive models, fresh from the best skirt makers in America. All sizes for misses and women.

500 Wash Dresses

Regular
\$2.50 Values \$1

We will place on sale tomorrow indeed a marvelous sale of Dresses; all clean; tunic and ruffle effect; made of crepe, etc.; all colors and sizes.....

\$2 BATHING SUITS \$1.48
FOR LADIES AND MISSES

SPECIAL FRIDAY!
See our wonderful array of \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00 Wash Dresses for.....\$3.85

\$1.50 and \$2.00
BEAUTIFUL WAISTS

1500 charming Waists on sale Friday, and every woman in St. Louis that wants a real bargain should not fail to come. 25 different styles; made of fine voiles, crepe in colors or white; the best Waist sale of the season. Please come early for your choice at.....69c

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PORCH AND STREET DRESSES
\$2.50 to \$3.75 Values \$5.00 to \$7.98 Values
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Plain and Striped Ratine, Figured Voiles, Cotton Crepes, Ginghams, etc., in 30 clever, new styles, including the combination and long tunic effects; all colors and white; sizes for juniors, misses and women. Special, \$1.98 and \$3.98.

New Voile Dresses
\$7.90 and \$10.90

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Memoirs of a Modern Cleopatra

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AIRSHIP ENGINES FOR OCEAN FLIGHT RUN THIRTY HOURS

Lieut. Porte, Pilot of Rodman Wanamaker Transatlantic Expedition, Convinced by Test American Motor Will Enable Craft to Cross Sea.

ONLY 288 GALLONS OF GASOLINE USED

Higher Speed Than Will Be Needed Is Maintained—Glenn Curtiss Will Complete Aeroplane for Proposed Flight.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. HAMMONDSPORT, N. Y., June 11.—Following a 30-hour test of his engines, Lieut. John C. Porte, pilot of the Rodman Wanamaker transatlantic aeroplane expedition, said today he was satisfied that the United States has produced a motor that can cross the ocean.

"I am very much pleased with the splendid showing made by the two Curtiss motors," he said. "They ran 30 hours without a hitch and developed the speed and power and reliability which we need to make aeronaught safe and sure."

Lieut. Porte has been devoting his entire time for most of the last two weeks to supervision of the construction of the craft, he will attempt to pilot across the Atlantic in competition for the \$50,000 prize of the London Daily Mail.

The successful testing of the motors marks the near approach of the assembling of the aeroplane and its preliminary trials here.

Curtiss to Complete Craft. Glenn Curtiss, who is building the craft for Rodman Wanamaker, backer of the transatlantic expedition, will be able to announce within a few days when he expects to have the craft completed.

The engine tests were started at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. As nearly as was possible, actual flying conditions were duplicated. Two 100-horsepower Curtiss motors were mounted side by side, with a propeller attached to the crankshaft of each, as they will be in the transatlantic aeroplane. Until yesterday it had been a secret that the flyer would carry a twin battery of engines and propellers instead of the one 200-horsepower motor which the Curtiss company had built for the Wanamaker machine.

For the first four hours the engines were run at 1800 revolutions a minute. Garros, the French aviator, flew 800 miles across the Mediterranean with his motor, making not more than 1000 revolutions a minute. With two motors instead of one, Lieut. Porte will not require more than 900 revolutions.

At times the speed was reduced last night, but the quarter-hourly records taken throughout the 30-hour run, showed that the propellers never made less than 1000 revolutions. Excepting when the engine was speeded up or slowed down by the operator, it varied scarcely more than five revolutions a minute.

288 Gallons of Gasoline. Lieut. Porte was especially pleased with the low consumption of gasoline and oil under test. The total consumption of gasoline for the two engines for 30 hours—which Porte considers ample time for crossing the Atlantic—was 288 gallons. This is less than the tankage capacity to be provided on the transatlantic trip.

The oil consumption was 104 gallons, which is below the supply to be carried when the flyer sets sail, probably next month, from Newfoundland for the British Isles.

Temperature and evaporation tests also were made in every particular, Lieut. Porte said. The motors came up to expectations.

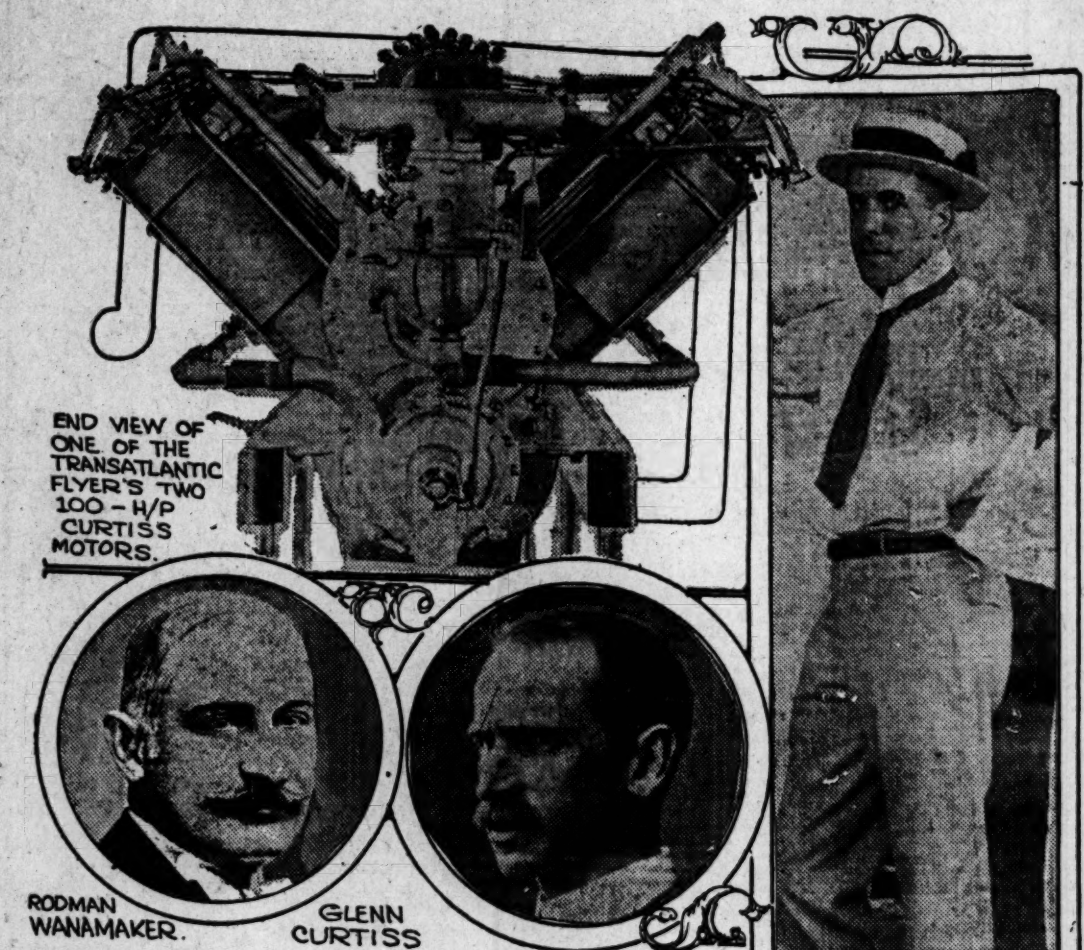
ADLAI E. STEVENSON RAPIDLY GROWS WEAKER

Family of the Former Vice-President Watching at His Bedside.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Adlai E. Stevenson, former Vice-President of the United States, who has been seriously ill at a local hospital for nearly a month, gradually is growing weaker.

Members of his family are watching at his bedside.

Motor for Transatlantic Aeroplane, Its Owner, Maker and Machine's Pilot in \$50,000 Contest



END VIEW OF ONE OF THE TRANSATLANTIC FLYER'S TWO 100-H.P. CURTISS MOTORS.

RODMAN WANAMAKER. GLENN CURTISS.

ARMY WORM QUILTS THE COUNTY AFTER DAMAGING CROPS

Pest Vanishes So Suddenly Residents Discuss Mystery of Its Present Whereabouts.

The army worm has disappeared from St. Louis County as mysteriously as it came four weeks ago. The worm caused so much havoc in the corn and timothy crops in the western, southern and northern parts of the county that farmers were moved to say that Gen. Sherman's famous march to the sea had nothing on the army worm army.

So much discomfort was caused by the army worm that almost every other resident in the county has endeavored to qualify as an expert on the army worm. Some say the army worm has only one existence and that when it disappears its life is ended.

Others contend the army worm, which is in the caterpillar family, has been transformed into a butterfly and is flying about the county in all its insect beauty. In striking comparison with its previous ugly shape and devastating nature.

Women guests at the New St. Louis Country Club, west of Clayton, are especially rejoicing at the army worm's departure. They suffered the greatest physical inconveniences, inasmuch as the army worm army seemed to center its siege upon that institution for five days, making life on the verandas intolerable and golf on the links too slippery to be enjoyable.

The army worm, so named because it traveled in uncountable hordes. In an inch long and as thick as the little finger, County residents, when asked to estimate how many worms had invaded the county, said there were billions of them. Several farmers reported that as many as ten acres of corn were eaten in a night by the army worms.

La Salle Friday Bazaar. Asst. Cocooner Patties, 15c box, and Asst. Cherry and Lemon Drops, 10c lb.

HITS MAN WHO ASKS PART OF SEAT IN CAR

Robert L. Williams Is Fined \$10 for Striking J. P. Helfenstein.

Robert L. Williams, 25 years old, of 714 Eads avenue, was fined \$10 by Police Judge Kimball Thursday for disturbing the peace of J. P. Helfenstein of Webster Groves.

Williams struck Helfenstein in the face Wednesday morning on a street car when the latter requested that Williams divide his seat with him.

RESOLUTE AND THE VANITIE RACE WITHOUT DEFIANCE

Resolute Overhauls Opponent on 30-Mile Deep Sea Course and Seems Victor.

NEW YORK, June 11.—The cup defense candidates, Resolute and Vanitie, fought out their sixth trial race today without a third competitor. Defiance was unable to remedy defects in her rigging made evident by yesterday's contest, and did not enter the trial today.

The course today was triangular, 30 miles long, over the historic America's cup waters. The sea was smooth and the wind at the start was barely five miles an hour.

In the struggle at the start to windward Resolute gained the first advantage and forced her rival to cross ahead. Vanitie increased her lead a little as they reached along the Jersey headlands toward the first mark off Long Branch.

Vanitie rounded the first mark at 12:15 p.m., more than a mile ahead of Resolute, whose time at the mark was 12:24:28.

Shortly after 2 o'clock Resolute drew ahead of Vanitie for the first time, and as sailing conditions were in her favor, she seemed to have the race as good as won.

IMMIGRATION RECORD FOR YEAR IS BROKEN

WASHINGTON, June 11.—More than 3400 immigrants arrived at American ports each day of the first 10 months of the fiscal year of 1914. The indications are that by June 30, when the fiscal year ends, the greatest number of immigrants ever admitted in any year will have entered.

Statistics of the Immigration Bureau show that 119,888 immigrants were admitted in April, while for the 10 months of the fiscal year 1,688,868 landed on our shores. It is estimated that 1,851,000 immigrants will have arrived by the end of June. The greatest number arriving in any one year heretofore was 1,835,948 in 1907.

Immigrants from the South of Italy during the 10 months numbered 230,123; and there were 119,884 Hebrew immigrants, and of other races there were: Germans, 45,071; English, 47,708; Russians, 40,937; Japanese, 7423; Chinese, 2012.

Indian Students Die in Storm.

PIPSTONE, Minn., June 11.—Two students of the Government Indian school were killed and several other persons were injured when a wind and rain storm struck here late yesterday demolishing small buildings and causing heavy damage in the business section.

THE FRAGRANCE OF THE ROSE

Do you know that there are over 30 different varieties of roses obtained from this grand flower?

AGED MOTHER GREETED CONVICT THE "LAST TIME"

She Embraces Fred Moeller, Witness in Murder Case, at Police Headquarters.

An unusual scene was witnessed at police headquarters, Thursday, when Mrs. Elizabeth Moeller, a widow, 76 years old and almost blind, of 1821 Montgomery street, greeted her son, Fred Moeller.

Moeller had been brought from the penitentiary at Jefferson City, where he was serving a life sentence for murder, to testify in the case of Albert (Bud) Murray, a co-defendant. His mother threw her arms about him and told him to look at her for the last time.

"I'm almost dead now, my poor boy," she said. "You'll never see me again. Oh, if I only could have been in my grave when this terrible thing happened."

Children See Prisoner. Mrs. Moeller was accompanied by two friends and the three little children of the prisoner. They were Edwin, 12 years old; Roy, 6, and Arthur, 3. The children climbed upon their father's knee and celebrated his return, evidently ignorant of the fact that his stay was to be only a temporary one. While he and his mother talked they played about Chief Allen's office. Later Moeller was taken to court to testify.

Testimony for the State was closed in the course of the day in the trial of Murray, charged with being one of two men who shot Stephen Lukos to death in his saloon at Fifteenth and Madison streets, Sept. 2 last.

Mrs. Dora Lukos, the widow, was the principal witness. She identified Murray and said that he and Moeller entered the saloon while she was there with her husband. After they had ordered beer, she said, Moeller demanded Lukos' money and without waiting for a reply opened fire on him.

Family in Court. Murray's mother and his wife and three children also were in court. Moeller at his trial did not deny that he took part in the shooting, but said Murray had a strange hypnotic influence over him. It is understood that Murray's defense will be that he and Moeller had been drinking and that

ASQUITH TO INTRODUCE HOME RULE AMENDMENT

Lords Are Expected to Change It to Unconditional Exclusion of Ulster.

LONDON, June 11.—Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons his intention to introduce the promised bill to amend the Irish home rule bill before any further progress is made by the House of Lords with the second reading of the main measure. The Unionists thus have won the day with their insistent demand that he should take this action.

The Lords will be entirely free to change the amending bill as they think proper and it is generally assumed that they will insert provisions for the unconditional exclusion of Ulster from the operation of the Irish home rule bill and also for the protection of the Protestant minority in the rest of Ireland.

FINED \$5 FOR BREAKING SISTER'S WEDDING CAKE

August Hossenlopp Tells Court How He Celebrated the Nuptials.

Because he celebrated his sister's wedding by getting drunk and breaking the wedding cake, August Hossenlopp Jr., 23 years old, of 2709 Blair avenue, was fined \$5 and costs by Judge Sanders in Dayton Street Police Court, Thursday.

Hossenlopp's sister, Clara, was married to Gerald Bocklitz at her home Wednesday morning. Hossenlopp told the judge he celebrated the affair with several friends in the afternoon, went back to his home and overturned the table on which the wedding cake was resting, prior to the evening's reception. None of Hossenlopp's relatives were in court.

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MISS MARGARET E. COCKRELL.

License Was Issued to Margaret E. Cockrell and Waldorf L. Acrum June 4.

The grandparents of Miss Margaret E. Cockrell, 15 years old, of 507 Page boulevard, and the parents of Waldorf L. Acrum, 19, of 5544 Clemens avenue, have heard nothing from them since the publication of a marriage license granted to them at the city hall June 4, and they are believed to have been married.

There has been no return on the license. June 4 Miss Cockrell told her grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Folland, that she was going to visit a girl in the neighborhood. Several hours later a little boy took "Snookums," a bull pup, to the Folland home, and said he had been asked by a young woman to take the dog to the house.

Acrum's father, Albert, is secretary of the National China Co. Neither family has heard from the couple. Folland said he would forgive his granddaughter if she would return home. The couple met about two years ago at a Cabanne dancing academy.

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Moeller led him into the commission of the crime.

Lukos was shot four times. When Moeller's revolver was found it contained two empty shells. The State holds that this is proof that two of the shots were fired by Murray.

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WOMAN WRITER SUES TO DIVORCE LITERARY HUSBAND

Mrs. Gertrude Singleton Mathews of Normandy Tells of Temperamental Temper.

Mrs. Gertrude Singleton Mathews of Normandy, who filed suit at Clayton Wednesday afternoon against John L. Mathews for divorce, sets forth in her petition the temperamental rocks upon which was wrecked the matrimonial barque of a literary man and his literary wife.

Mathews has been an editor and is a magazine writer on American and European topics. His wife is also a writer and traveled with her husband and collaborated with him in his work until, she avers, he flew into a temperamental rage and spoke harshly and roughly about the way she was doing her share of their joint work.

Her husband was frequently in such a violent rage, she says, that she was in fear for her safety.

Alleged He Was Violent. Mrs. Mathews, who was Miss Gertrude Singleton of Evanston, Ill., was married to Mathews Sept. 10, 1910, at Evanston. All their married life, she says, he showed a violent temper, which increased until January, 1913, when he became so violent in London that she feared for her safety.

Prior to that they had been under contract for the writing of magazine articles, which required them to visit various parts of Europe for information, she states.

He was not only violent and abusive in London, Mrs. Mathews alleges, but afterward in Copenhagen and Berlin, cursing her and acting roughly and harshly toward her and getting into violent rages, so that she was repeatedly humiliated in the presence of others. These outbursts became so frequent, she says, that she was kept in constant anxiety and distress of mind.

Incident at an Inn. On June 3, 1913, Mrs. Mathews says, when they were guests at Forest Hills Inn, Long Island, New York, her husband, without cause, spoke harshly and abusively of her participation in their joint literary work and concerning her treatment of him as his wife, when in fact she had been aiding him in every way and had cared for him in connection with a serious ailment.

In October, 1913, she says, he became

enraged at their hostess near Tannerville, in the Catskills, and when Mrs. Mathews tried to pacify him he turned on her and spoke abusively in the presence of the hostess.

Mrs. Mathews says that by reason of her husband's repeated actions she was compelled to leave him February 4, 1914.

Mathews is now in Philadelphia. He is a Harvard graduate and started his career as a reporter in Chicago. Later he was editor of the New Orleans Item and an assistant editor of the Youth's Companion. Lately he has confined himself mainly to magazine work and has written rather extensively on waterways development in the Mississippi Valley.

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BRILLIANT PEACE PAGEANT AND BALL STAGED IN LONDON

Each State of Union Has Notable Representative From Social World.

LONDON, June 11.—The ball and pageant in Albert Hall tonight commemorating the centenary of Anglo-American peace provided the most brilliant spectacle seen here for some time. Many of the notable people of the London social world were present, together with a large number of American and colonial visitors.

Among the former American women who took part in the Columbian procession were the Duchess of Marlborough, the Countess of Newborough, Countess of Granard, Countess of Craven, Countess of Stratford, Viscountess Maitland, Lady Deedes, Lady Herbert, Lady Lowther, Lady Barran, Lady Randolph Churchill, Lady Lister-Kaye, Lady Hadfield, Mrs. John Astor, Mrs. Harold Harcourt, Mrs. Oliver Brett, Mrs. Lewis Harcourt, the Hon. Mrs. Bingham, the Hon. Mrs. E. F. Guest and Mrs. Henry Coventry.

There was a display of historical costumes, and the music had been especially written or adapted for the fete. When the representatives of the various tribes led off in the great procession it could be seen that special efforts had been made to attain historical and artistic accuracy in their dress. The Vir-

ginian settlers wore Elizabethan costumes, which contrasted with the sober but equally picturesque dress of the pilgrims of the days of Cromwell. The Dutch of New York State followed in their quaint garb and the Louisiana French appeared with powdered hair and panniers, the color scheme embracing the different shades of heliotrope.

The group representatives of signatories of the treaty of Ghent appeared in the sober small clothes of the Georgian period. The English procession was more modern. Scotland was represented by women wearing white dresses with sashes of the tartan of the different clans; the men wore the kilt.

The Irish section featured the harp and the shamrock. Wales displayed two distinct costumes, that of ancient Wales and the costume of the primitive priestesses and druids, with green wreaths and gilded crowns of oak leaves.

Canada was in gold and white, symbol of corn and snow. Australia was in red, white and blue.

New Zealand appeared in the national Maori costume, white diamonds and gold were the feature of the dress of the South African group.

Columbia and the United States in the modern pageant had a representative from each state, chosen by the Duchess of Marlborough, Countess of Stratford and Mrs. Lewis Harcourt. Each lady wore a standard with the coat of arms of her state.

Daniel Re-elects Bartholdt. WASHINGTON, June 11.—The American Congress group of the Interparliamentary Union yesterday re-elected all officers for another year. Representative Bartholdt, Missouri, was named president of the group for the eleventh consecutive time.

4 YOUTHS AWAIT LEGAL DEATH IN ARKANSAS PRISON

All Are Convicted of Murder and Executions Are Set for Next Month.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 11.—Four beardless white boys occupy cells adjoining the death chamber in the Arkansas Penitentiary. All are sentenced to pay during July the extreme penalty of the law for murder.

Arthur Tillman, Clarence Dewell, Joseph Strong and Arthur Hodgins are the boys. Tillman has twice been tried for the murder of Amanda Stephens, his sweetheart. Gov. G. W. Hays has declined to interfere in his case, although petitioned by several thousand persons to commute the sentence to life imprisonment. Miss Stephens was shot in the back of the head and her body was weighted with stones and then thrown into a well.

It was supposed that the girl had eloped with Tillman, so no special fear was expressed at her disappearance until a man residing in the neighborhood told of seeing Tillman slip up at night and peer into the well. Then the well was searched and the body discovered. Tillman was captured, but later eluded the officers. Who had not suspected him of murder, his arrest being for a trivial offense. He was later recaptured in Fort Smith and has spent two years in jail.

He Blames Another Man. Tillman has all the time maintained that a married man of the Delaware vicinity of Los Angeles, where the crime was committed, is guilty of the murder and that the evidence concerning his going to the well at night is fiction. It was this evidence which convicted him. He admitted relations with the girl, but declares the other man to be guilty of wronging Amanda Stephens before he began to go with her. He is sentenced to be hanged July 18, his crime having been committed before electrocution was provided for.

Hodgins killed a Deputy Constable at Glenwood, Clark County. He was arrested for some minor offense and while waiting for a train grabbed the revolver from the officer's pocket and killed him. Hodgins has been forced to shift for himself from babyhood, never knowing the care of a mother. He is mentally afflicted and this turned the children of the neighborhood in which he was reared against him. Hodgins' affliction has been advanced as reason for clemency, but as yet there has been no indication that it will be extended.

Dewell and Strong, two boys whose faces have never yet felt a razor, are runaways from home. Strong is an Italian and has for years been a wanderer. Dewell is the son of a Belleville (Ill.) saloonist. The two met in Benton and worked for a short time at a gravel pit. The boys grew tired of the hard work and hearing that L. H. Thompson, an aged storekeeper residing in a secluded part of the town, kept large sums of money on hand, they decided to rob him.

Each blames the other. Armed with heavy pieces of iron, they entered his store at dusk. One blew out the light and they attacked Thompson. Each boy claims the other struck the fatal blow.

The day following the commission of the crime Dewell told the woman with whom the boys were boarding of their guilt. He declined to use his share of the money they took from Thompson's pockets, giving it to the woman. Strong fled that day, but was captured in Louisiana.

Busy Bee Candy Bargain Friday. Choc. Molasses Chips, Choc. Creams, Pecan Marshmallow Jumbles, 20c lb.

SEDIMENT ANCHOR FOR HOUSE IN FLOOD PATH

Structure First Threatened to Float Away With Family, but Became Firm.

CODY, Wyo., June 11.—The fact that flood water, released by the bursting of a dam at the Stonebridge ranch, carried so much sediment that this balanced their home and held it down, probably saved the lives of Elmer Dickson and family, who were caught by the flood in the night.

The family spent several hours on the roof of their home while the flood swept around the structure. The longer the flood continued the more firmly the house became anchored by sediment which settled in its interior.

Dickson was awakened when water reached his bed. Awakening his family he assisted them to an attic from which refuge they moved to the roof when the water rose over the attic floor.

During the earlier stages of the flood the house shifted on its foundation and threatened to float away, but gradually appeared to become firmer, and when the flood was at its height stood as solidly as a rock. After the water receded Dickson ascertained the reason for the stability of the structure—four feet of sediment had settled on its lower floor and acted as ballast. The Dickson home was the only dwelling in its path.

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CELEBRATION FREES MAN

St. Louis Army Deserter to Join Parents for Golden Wedding.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Secretary of War Garrison today advised Representative Dyer that he had ordered the release of Thomas M. Sweeney of St. Louis from the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, where he has been confined as an army deserter since last fall.

The release was effected largely in order that Sweeney might join his family in St. Louis prior to June 18, when his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sweeney of 4011 Nebraska avenue, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

'FREEST CITY IN NORTH AMERICA,' EDMONTON'S AIM

Canadian Municipality Where Thrift Is Rewarded Seeks New Charter.

EDMONTON, Alberta, June 11.—Government by elective commission, including the initiative, the referendum and

the recall, the preferential ballot, the adoption of adult suffrage and the elimination of plural voting on debenture issues, with alternative methods of electing commissioners and designated duties, are the outstanding features of the new charter submitted to the City Council of Edmonton by a special committee of that body.

The new charter, which is designed to make Edmonton "the freest city on the North American Continent," will be considered by a committee of 50 representative residents, to be appointed by Mayor McNamara, acting in an advisory capacity with the City Council. When this body makes its report the charter will be submitted to a popular vote and, if successful, it will be presented to the provincial Legislature for enactment at the fall session, making possible the election of a board of five city commissioners early next December.

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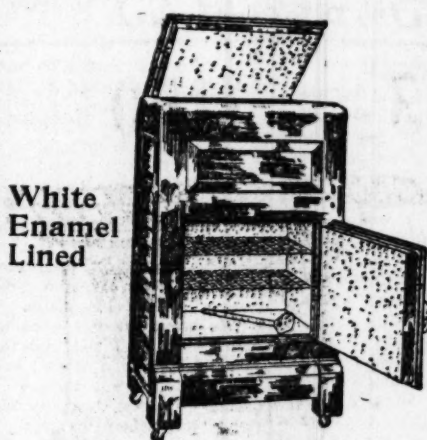
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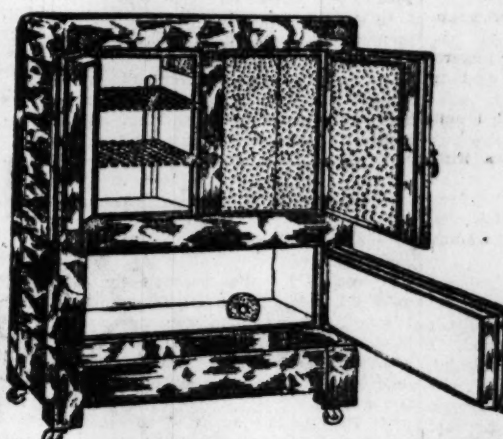


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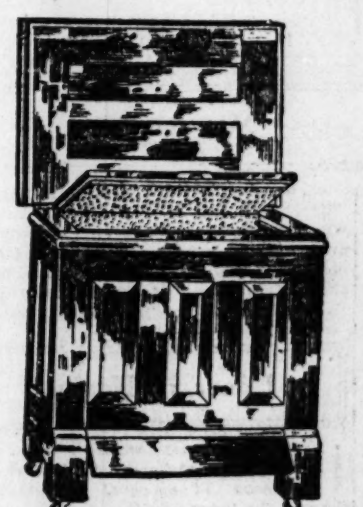
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Quinine F. & W.—1/512-oz. bottle.....1/16c
Quinine F. & W.—1/1024-oz. bottle.....1/32c
Quinine F. & W.—1/2048-oz. bottle.....1/64c
Quinine F. & W.—1/4096-oz. bottle.....1/128c
Quinine F. & W.—1/8192-oz. bottle.....1/256c
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DELMAR BL. 6467—Three elegant complete housekeeping rooms; light; gas range, hot water; \$2.50 up

DELMAR BL. 6706—Newly fitted up back-sleeper quarters; everything up-to-date; phone

DELMAR BL. 6881—2d-floor front room; complete for housekeeping; electric light; phone

DELMAR BL. 5532—Front room, with
cool roof; furnished; all conveniences;
variances. PR. 1000.
DELMAR BL. 4938—Cool, comfortable
housekeeping; desired; all conveni-
ences.
DELMAR BL. 5050—Nicely furnished large
cool roof for gentlemen or couple; large
kitchen. PR. 14.
DELMAR BL. 4375—Two nice connecting
rooms; cool roof; all conveniences; con-
tract; private family; reasonable.
DELMAR BL. 4107—Furnished room for
housekeeping; all conveniences; first floor.
EASTON, 4425—Large furnished room, newly
furnished; cool roof and has connecting bathroom
for housekeeping; cheap.
EUCALYPTA N. 4301—Nicely furnished from
new stock; 3 or 4 cars; all conveni-
ences.
E. 4300—Furnished front room, first
floor; wood exposure; all conveniences; private
family; reasonable.
E. 4300—Furnished front room; gas; all
men or couple; with or without board (J.).
FOREST PARK BL. 4343—Completely
furnished; all conveniences; reasonable.
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furnished; all conveniences; reasonable.

with exposure, porch; June 15 to Sept. 15
1920. No. 1000—Large furnished room
with bath; also private garage; large
porch. No. 1001—Two elegant front rooms
for couple or separate; garage; bath;
also private garage. Also private garage.
Recent 1048.

KENNINGTON, 5035—Choice furnished front
rooms; bath; private garage; large
porch. Olive cars; conveniences; reasonable (1000)

LINDELL, L.R. 5303—Nicely furnished
front rooms; bath; private garage; large
porch; two adults; for gentleman, with hot
and cold water.

McPHERSON, 4908—Room, every conv. (1000)

McPHERSON, 3951—Nicely furnished rooms;
modern conveniences and reasonable (1000)

MORGAN, 4442—Two connecting second-floor
rooms; bath; private garage; large porch.
MORGAN, 5125—Second-floor front, con-
necting, housekeeping rooms; gas range,
bath, private garage.

MORGAN, 4153—Nicely decorated housekeep-
ing apartment; running water; lawn, etc.

PROGRAM 4872—Newly furnished 28-room
front; all conveniences; free Bell phone
service.

OLIVE 3812A—Comfortably furnished from
and connecting rooms, use of kitchen, and
bathing room. If desired, Call 8 to a re-
ceptionist.

OLIVE 3846—Nicely furnished, clean, com-
fortable, single or a suite; modern equip-
ment; \$4.00; \$5.00 up. (7)

OLIVE 4048—3 rooms; southern exposure
and view; central location; close to re-
sults; shady yard; reasonable.

OLIVE 4062—Good light furnished room
with view; central location; close to re-
sults; reasonable.

OLIVE 4063—Furnished from 2 to 400
rooms; furnished rooms for housekeeping;
bath.

OLIVE 4066—2 to 4 southern-exposed
rooms; very good; gas range; free phone; rent
reasonable.

OLIVE 4814—Desirable, cool, airy
rooms; modern; convenient to bus and
restaurant; reasonable.

FAST STORIES

OPEN MUNICIPAL
POOL AT PI

School Children Will Have
Picnic Friday at Pretty Joe
Park Playground.

of the East St. Louis public will be held Friday at Jones when 9000 pupils will be turned the new 47-acre playground. will be the occasion of the opening the city's swimming pool, and Chamberlin had proclaimed holiday.

Forty street cars will carry children to the Hawthorne whence they will march at

The new bathhouse will accommodate 375 men and boys and 169 and girls. It cost \$3000. T cost \$7000, and, with the bath occupies three and one-half acres of concrete grandstand, erected at a cost of \$10,000, faces an 1/4 mile quarter-mile track that is

wide and has a home stretch of 100 feet. In the center of the baseball and football grounds, beneath the grandstand are show lockers. Seven acres are devoted to tennis courts. There is a rest room that cost \$17,000. The upper part of the grounds is a covered pavilion, and has a grandstand. It has been offered to the Park Board as a public meeting place. The Board of Education has accepted the offer.

sent out invitations to the schools to attend the picnic. The picnic will close the term a week earlier than usual account of the heat.

COUPLE ASK A MAN TO FIND PASTOR; HE'S

Coatless Pedestrian
Taxi Riders to a Parson
and Then Marries Th
Dennis Fennell of Granite C
Miss Anna Stevens of Detroit
a marriage license at Gran
Thursday and went to the parson
the Niedringhaus Memorial
Church to be married. The pa

They re-entered a taxicab and the chauffeur a commission to preacher. The chauffeur stopped first man that came along. His off and he carried an umbrella looked like a minister.

The man said he knew a preacher lived and bade them him. In a few minutes they were

learned that Pastor Beckett was and then Mrs. Beckett asked he didn't marry the couple. He was willing, if Mrs. Beckett would accept the fee for the use of the organization of the church.

That suited Mrs. Beckett, and told Fennell he was the Rev. Pool of Olney, Ill. The ceremony was performed and Fennell gave the benediction of the church.

**McKENDREE COLLEGE
ELECTS SIX TRUSTEES**

E. H. Smiley Is Chosen in
Place of T. A. Wilson, Former
College Treasurer

The trustees of McKendree, Lebanon, Ill., yesterday met at college, former Gov. Charles S. presiding, and elected six new to replace those whose terms expired. E. H. Smiley of O'Fallon, banker, was elected in place of A. Wilson of Lebanon.

Church there, was treasurer of the college until last September. At the time he acknowledged that there was a \$250 shortage in his accounts, and that he had obtained the money by restitution by deeding his land at home and other property to the college. There was some sentiment in favor of re-electing Wilson to the office of trustees, but this was not done by the majority.

BODY IS FOUND HANGING
Man Kills Himself in
Eas. St. Louis House
 The body of a man who had
 himself with a small cord
 gas pipe was found by a police
 agent in a vacant and partially

house at Twentieth street
Louis avenue, East St. Louis,
day morning. The body could
from the street through an op
dow. The man was about 4
old and 6 feet tall and had gr
and mustache, and weighed 1
pounds. He was emaciated
poorly dressed, and there wa
ing in his pockets to identify
The house, with another o
door was partly burned a

Alton to Buy New Auto
Five auto salesmen will demonstrate in Alton on the fire department committee the City Council, which plans to purchase a new ambulance and

Irate Over Son's Elbow
J. J. Porter, manager of the lumber yard at Wood River, threatened to engage a lawyer to see what can be done about the annulment of a marriage license obtained by his 19-year-old son, Otto J. Porter, and a girl from Alton.

Dies in Soldiers' Home
August Godfrey, 74 years old, resident of East St. Louis and County 66 years, died Wednesday at the Soldiers' Home, in Quincy, the body will be sent to East St. Louis.

Retailers to Inspect Seal
The Alton Retail Merchants' Association has appointed a committee to inspect the weights and measures of Alton produce stores with a view to having prosecuted dealers not using fixed standards.

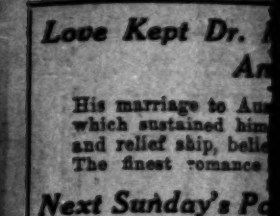
MAYOR KIEL TO TAKE FIRST PLUNGE IN

Thomas Whitaker, former instructor of the Missouri Athletic Club, will be captain of the life guard. The new costume rules of last year will be enforced—stockings for all women and two-piece suits for men. The

be women's day. The pool was
from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. daily
for the hour from 1 to 2 p. m.
hour from 6 to 7 p. m.

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Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By C. M. PAYNE.



"Yes—to the man I'm engaged to."

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